The Sydney Morning Herald.

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BIRTHS.

[illegible]—May 28, at her residence, East Maitland, the wife of W. F. Addison, of a son.

[illegible]—May 28, at her residence, Fair View, Waverley Road, Woollahra, the wife of J. N. Brown, of a daughter.

[illegible]—April 16, at her residence, the wife P. Drummond, of a daughter.

TAYLOR—May 19, at her residence, Dobitrin Station, the wife of John Taylor, of a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

REID—ALLEN.—May 11, at St. Barnabas Church, Sydney, by the Rev. Joseph Barker, Hugh Reid, of Bathurst, to Catherine Anne, second daughter of James K. Allen, Bathurst.

DEATHS.

CARSS.—May 26, at his residence, Kogarah, William Carss, aged 78 years.

DAVIDSON.—May 27, at Grongal, Wagga Wagga, Alexander Lyonel, only son of Alexander and Marion Edith Davidson, of Hindmarsh West, aged 9 weeks.

MOREHOUSE.—May 26, at her brother's residence, Sherwood, Sarah, the beloved daughter of George and Mary Morehouse, of Wattle Flat, aged 22, deeply regretted by a large number of friends.

SMITH.—At the residence of her daughter, at Beattie-street, Balmain, Maria, the beloved wife of Thomas Smith, sen., of Newcastle, late of Pyrmont, Sydney, aged 69 years.

SHIPPING.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.
The Company's steamship
AVOCA,
1482 tons, 250-horse power,
J. C. Almond, commander,
will leave Sydney for MELBOURNE on SATURDAY, 1st June, at noon, in connection with the departure from that port of the Company's steamship
SIAM,
3036 tons, 500-horse power,
which will be dispatched on TUESDAY, the 11th June, 1878, for ADELAIDE, KING GEORGE'S SOUND, and GALLE, with H. M. mails, passengers, cargo, and specie: also, for INDIA, MAURITIUS, JAVA, SINGAPORE, CHINA, JAPAN, and EUROPE.
Cargo and parcels will be received until 5 p.m. on the 6th; specie at 10 a.m. on 7th June.
For information on all subjects connected with the Company's various lines, apply to
HENRY MOORE, Agent.
Moore's Wharf, 13th May, 1878.
Passengers' accommodation in the SIAM allotted in Sydney by plans in office.
Passage money and freight per AVOCA between Sydney and Melbourne at local rates.

EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN MAIL STEAM COMPANY (Limited).
OVERLAND ROUTE,
via Torres Straits and Singapore.
The new and powerful steamship
BOWEN,
J. Miller, Commander,
under contract with the Government of Queensland, will leave the Cosmopolitan Wharf
on TUESDAY, June 11, at noon, taking mails, goods, and passengers for Singapore and Hongkong.
Passengers can be booked for Venice, Brindisi, and Southampton, and forwarded by the Peninsular and Oriental Company's steamers, or to Marseilles per steamers of the Messageries Maritimes.
For rates of freight or passage apply to
BRIGHT, BROTHERS, and CO., Agents,
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PACIFIC MAIL S.S. CO.
OVERLAND ROUTE TO GREAT BRITAIN, THROUGH AMERICA.
Under contract with the N. S. W. and N. Z. Governments.
ZEALANDIA,
3000 tons,
H. Chevalier, commander,
will be dispatched
at 3 p.m. on THURSDAY, 20th June, carrying her Majesty's mails and passengers to Auckland, Honolulu, and San Francisco.
Drafts payable in gold in San Francisco, issued by the undersigned.
Passengers booked from Sydney to Liverpool, London, or Paris at very favourable rates, with special advantages.
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STEAM TO HONGKONG.
The fine and powerful steamship
THALES,
will be dispatched from SYDNEY to HONGKONG, via NEWCASTLE and COOKTOWN, calling at PORT DARWIN,
on or about SATURDAY, at noon.
This fine steamship has unrivalled accommodation for passengers, and having lofty and well-ventilated 'tween decks offers special inducement to shippers of horses.
For particulars as to fares and freights, and all other information connected with the trade, apply to
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THE AUSTRALASIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMSHIPS.
TO HONGKONG, via COOKTOWN and PORT DARWIN.—Thales, Saturday, at noon. See special advertisement.
TO LEVUKA (FIJI).—Wentworth, after arrival of Pacific Mail Steamer, due 10th June.
TO MELBOURNE.—Wotonga, Tuesday afternoon, at 4.30. Fares and freights at current rates.
TO NEWCASTLE, RAYMOND TERRACE, and MORPETH.—Coonanbara, to-night, Thursday, at 11.
TO NEWCASTLE.—Collaroy, Saturday night, at 11.
TO BRISBANE.—Balclutha, Saturday afternoon, at 1; and Egmont, Monday afternoon, at 4.30.
TO MARYBOROUGH.—Balclutha, Saturday afternoon, at 1.
TO GLADSTONE.—Steamer from Brisbane every Tuesday.
TO ROCKHAMPTON.—Boomerang, to-morrow (Friday) afternoon, at 4.30.
TO PORT DENISON, TO CLEVELAND BAY, TO CAIRNS (TRINITY BAY), TO PORT DOUGLASS (ISLAND POINT) — Egmont (without transhipment), Monday afternoon, at 4.30.
TO COOKTOWN WHARF, TO CARDWELL, TO KEPPEL BAY, TO FLAT-TOP ISLAND — Egmont, Monday afternoon, at 4.30.
Cargo is now being received for transmission to any of the above ports.
FREDK. H. TROUTON, Manager.

STEAM to HOBART TOWN, calling at EDEN, TWOFOLD BAY.—The fine steamship TASMAN, 700 tons register, will be dispatched from the GRAFTON WHARF, TUESDAY, 11th June, at 1 p.m.
For freight or passage apply to
T. and W. WILLIS, Agents, 48, Pitt-street.

THE CLARENCE AND RICHMOND RIVERS STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMSHIPS will be dispatched from the Company's Wharf, Sussex-street, as follows, weather permitting:—
FOR GRAFTON, CLARENCE RIVER:

Ship.	Date of Sailing.
AGNES IRVING ..	TUESDAY, 4th June, at 9 p.m.

FOR MACLEAY RIVER:

BALLINA	MONDAY, 3rd June, at 9 p.m.

FOR PORT MACQUARIE.

BALLINA	THURSDAY, Thursday, at 4 p.m. sharp. No cargo received after 3 p.m.

Passage rates to and from Grafton.

Saloon:		Steerage:	
Single ticket....£3 0 0		Single ticket....£1 15	
Return ditto.... 5 0 0		Return ditto.... 3 0	

JOHN WHITE, Secretary, Sussex-street.

C. AND N. E. S. N. COMPANY'S STEAMSHIPS from Commercial Wharf, foot of King-street.
For GRAFTON, Clarence River, via Newcastle, the S.S. NEW ENGLAND, THIS (Thursday) NIGHT, at 10 o'clock.
FARES:
Saloon, £3; return ticket, £5.
Steerage, £1 15s; return ticket, £3.

NEWCASTLE STEAMSHIP COMPANY (Limited). —The s.s. KEMBLA, for NEWCASTLE, from Lime-street Wharf, foot of Erskine-street, THIS (Thursday) NIGHT at quarter-past 11; and TO-MORROW (Friday) NIGHT, at 11.
H. D. PORTUS, Manager.

HUNTER RIVER N. S. N. CO.—STEAM TO NEWCASTLE, MORPETH, RAYMOND TERRACE.
FROM SYDNEY:
TO-MORROW (Friday) NIGHT, at 11, the MAITLAND.
On SUNDAY NIGHT, at 12, the MORPETH.
GOODS WILL NOT BE RECEIVED AFTER 9 p.m.
F. J. THOMAS, Manager.
Office—foot of Market-street.

STEAM TO RICHMOND RIVER.— The new steamship BONNIE DUNDEE, 300 tons, will leave the Grafton Wharf TO-MORROW, at 9 p.m. No cargo received before TO-MORROW (Friday) MORNING.
G. and R. NICOLL, Erskine-street.

ILLAWARRA S. N. CO.'S STEAMERS.—TO WOLLONGONG.—To-morrow, 9.15 a.m., and 11 p.m.
ULLADULLA and CLYDE.—To-morrow, 9.15 a.m.
MORUYA and TATHRA.—To-morrow, at 11 p.m.
KIAMA and SHOALHAVEN.—To-morrow, at 11 p.m.
MERIMBULA and EDEN.—Wednesday, 9.15 a.m.

PARRAMATTA, RYDE, ERMINGTON, and NEWINGTON STEAMERS leave KING-STREET, THIS DAY, at 7, 9, 11, 1, 3, 5; leave Parramatta, 7, 9, 11, 1, 3, 5. GLADESVILLE STEAMERS leave King-street, 7, 9, 10, 11, 12.30, 1, 3, 4.15, 5, 6.15, calling at HUNTER'S HILL and COCKATOO. FIVE DOCK, ASHFIELD and BURWOOD, leave King-street at 7, 10, 12.30, 4.15, 6.15. Fares about half railway rates.

NEWINGTON, Parramatta River.—Diamond Drill daily. Visitors going up can return same steamer.

BRISBANE WATER.—Steamer PELICAN will leave King-street, TO-MORROW, 8 a.m.

FOR TERRIGAL daily.—The s. s. KATE leaves Woolloomooloo at 8 a.m. (Saturday excepted).

MANNING RIVER STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY (Limited).
The s. s. DIAMANTINA, Captain Herron, will leave for TAREE, Manning River direct, from Lime-street Wharf, foot of Erskine-street, To-morrow, FRIDAY EVENING, at 6 (weather permitting).
All freights payable in Sydney.
H. D. PORTUS, Agent.
Lime-street Wharf.

STEAM TO MELBOURNE, NEWCASTLE, BRISBANE, MARYBOROUGH, and ROCKHAMPTON.
The M. S. S. CO. will dispatch their STEAMSHIPS (when practicable) as follows, from STRUTH'S WHARF, foot of King-street:—

FOR MELBOURNE:		
CHEVIOT	J. R. Clarke..	TO-MORROW, Friday, 2 o'clock.
MACEDON ..	F. H. Stanford	TUESDAY, June 4.
YOU YANGS	Chas. Ashford	FRIDAY, June 7.
FOR BRISBANE:		
THE CLARENCE ..	J. D. Harley..	TO-MORROW, Friday, 4 p.m.
EDINA	J. H. South ..	FRIDAY, June 7.
FOR MARYBOROUGH.		
EDINA	J. H. South ..	FRIDAY, June 7.
FOR ROCKHAMPTON:		
THE CLARENCE..	J. D. Harley..	TO-MORROW, Friday, 4 p.m.

Carrying passengers and cargo. Return tickets issued to and from MELBOURNE, available for three (3) months, by any of the company's steamers leaving every TUESDAY and FRIDAY, and vice versa. Cargo received for the above ports every day.
These vessels have their SALOONS amidships, and are victualled by the owners.
Steerage passengers supplied with bedding.
WM. HOWARD SMITH, Struth's Wharf.
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STEAM TO MELBOURNE.—The M. S. S. Co. will dispatch the steamship
CHEVIOT, 1500 tons,
J. R. Clarke, commander,
for the above port, TO-MORROW, Friday, 2 o'clock.
The saloon is amidships.
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STEAM TO BRISBANE AND ROCKHAMPTON. —The M. S. S. CO. will dispatch the splendid Steamship
THE CLARENCE,
J. D. Harley, commander,
for the above ports TO-MORROW, Friday, at 4 o'clock.
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Intending passengers are invited to inspect the superior accommodation of this splendid steamship.
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UNION STEAMSHIP COMPANY OF NEW ZEALAND (Limited).
Fortnightly communication to all NEW ZEALAND ports.

Ship.	Tons.	Commander.	Date of Sailing.
WAKATIPU.	1796	A. Cameron..	SATURDAY next, at 2 p.m., via Wellington.
ROTORUA ..	1000	M. Carey	5th June, via Auckland.

FREDK. W. JACKSON, 58, Pitt-street.

STEAM TO ALL NEW ZEALAND PORTS.— The Union Company's powerful steamship
WAKATIPU,
1796 tons, A. Cameron, commander,
will be dispatched from SMITH'S WHARF on SATURDAY next, at 2 p.m., booking cargo and passengers to all ports.
PASSENGERS to Auckland, Hokitika, Westport, and Greymouth booked at through rates.
CARGO received up to 5 p.m. TO-MORROW, but not later than 11 a.m. on Saturday.
FREE GOODS received at wharf THIS DAY up to 4 p.m.
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STEAM TO NEW ZEALAND FROM MELBOURNE.
ALHAMBRA, 5th June, via Bluff.
TARARUA, 12th June, via Hobart Town and Bluff.
ALBION, 13th June, via Hokitika, calling at Hobart Town, en route for Melbourne.
Through tickets to and from all New Zealand ports issued by the undersigned.
JOSEPH WARD and CO., Bridge-street-chambers.

MANLY BEACH STEAMERS, THIS DAY (weather permitting),
leave Queen's Wharf at 7.15, 10.15, 11.30, 2.15, 5, 6.
Woolloomooloo, 10.30, 11.45, 2.30.
Manly Beach, 8.10, 9, 12, 3.15, 4.45, 6.
NO FREIGHT TAKEN AFTER 2.15 p.m.
Fare: Return ticket, 1s 6d; children, 1s. On Saturdays and Sundays return tickets, 1s. Extra late boats will leave Sydney for Manly Beach on Wednesdays and Saturdays, 11.15 p.m.

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Steamer.	From Sydney.	From Melbourne.
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FARES:
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Open berths for men only, 16 guineas.
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The fine A1 Aberdeen clipper ship
ABERGELDIE,
1152 tons register, William Miller, commander,
will receive prompt dispatch.
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having large engagements, will have prompt dispatch.
Passengers are invited to inspect her commodious and comfortable saloon accommodation.
For freight or passage, apply to Captain SMITH, on board, at Circular Quay; or to
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The A1 clipper ship
ALEXANDER DUTHIE,
1159 tons register,
will have prompt dispatch.
Inspection of her superior Saloon and Second Class accommodation is invited.
For freight or passage, apply on board to Captain Murray, at Circular Quay; or to
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FOR SALE, on board ship Min-y-don, Parbury's wharf, 1 pitch pine SPAR, 80 feet x 19 inches, 1 double barrel winch, gipsy ends, new.

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RELIGIOUS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

ST. ANDREW'S CATHEDRAL.—Ascension Day.— The following Services will be held: Morning, at 11, with Holy Communion; evening, at 7.30 (choral). Morning Preacher, the Rev. Canon Allwood; Evening, the Dean.

THE Rev. JOHN A. DOWIE will Preach THIS EVENING, at ½ to 8, Masonic Temple, Clarence-st.

THE Rev. JOHN A. DOWIE will Preach in the Masonic Hall every SUNDAY, morning and evening.

ST. MATTHIAS' CHURCH, Paddington.—Ascension Divine Service TO-NIGHT, at 7.30. Full choir.
F. OATLEY,
J. B. DURHAM, } Churchwardens.
R. J. KING,

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MADAME DE LA SICOTIERE, from Paris, begs to inform the Ladies in the country that to receive a new PATTERN to make a new costume, it is sufficient to send her measure, with any plate from any fashion book, to 320, George-street.
Princess Dress, 3s; Polonaise, 2s; Jacket Body, 2s.

MR. JOHN SPENCER, 8, Wynyard-square, received the highest award in the section for Mechanical Dentistry, at New South Wales Agricultural Exhibition for 1878. Judges' memo: First prize for the greatest excellence of workmanship and material. Also the London and Philadelphia Centennial Medals for Artificial Teeth, against every competitor.
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ELLEN WATT, native of Fochabers, Morayshire, Scotland, had a Son by her first marriage named JAMES MARSHALL; she afterwards married one JOHN ROGERS, a shoemaker; both sailed from Scotland for Geelong about 29 years ago. Mrs. Rogers was daughter of John Watt, blacksmith, of Boghead, Morayshire; James Marshall, who is about 38 years of age, was last heard of 10 or 12 years ago, on the West Coast of New Zealand, in the neighbourhood of Grey River or Hokitika. Either of these parties will receive important information on application to ARTHUR CUBITT, Missing Friends Office, 203, Pitt-street, Sydney.

GEORGE STEVENS, from Broadchalk, Wiltshire, England,—Your SISTER is in Sydney, anxiously inquiring for you. A Letter left for her at General Post Office, Sydney, will be gladly received.

HENRY ORMEROD, last heard of in August, 1873, at Lachlan River, near Sydney, engaged as a wool classer; previous to this had been on a survey party on the Murrumbidgee River. A reward will be given by his friends for any information about the same, either living or dead. Address GEORGE PICKUP, 78, Waterloo Road, Manchester, England.

IF THIS should meet the eye of GEORGE SIMPSON, from Liverpool, call on T. DAWES, 42, Campbell-street, he will hear something to his advantage.

IF Mr. C. BERESFORD will kindly call upon Mrs. A. J. J. GWYNNE, 188, Crown-street, he will hear of something greatly to his advantage.

JOHN HAND, Bootmaker.—Call; news from home.

MR. G. H. PITT, Painter, will oblige by calling on Mr. E. RAMSAY, King and George streets.

PROFESSOR SCOTT will oblige by calling on, or communicating with Messrs. A. J. WATT and CO. Letter of importance.

SHOULD this meet the eye of JAMES MARTIN, write to GEORGE STEVENS, George-street.

THE MAN that applied about the discharging the S.S. NEOBLIE.—Please call at once at Mr. MASON'S, Patent Slip Wharf.

WOULD Mrs. NEILSON call and see Mrs. FRANKS, from Brisbane, at the Lord Rodney.

LOST AND FOUND.

GREYHOUND.—Strayed, from Caradon, Woollahra, a fawn-coloured large GREYHOUND, scar on right shoulder. 10s reward will be paid on his being returned to Mr. WRENCH, Caradon; or 142, Pitt-street.

LOST, in or near the Fruit Markets, a PURSE, containing 31s in silver. Reward. 167, Macquarie-st. N.

LOST, a Brindle SLUT, on 22nd. Reward. M'CARTY, 250, Pitt-street.

LOST, Poodle SLUT, brown spot on ear, leather collar with name. Please return to 38, Clarence-street.

LOST, Gold EARRING, mounted shell. Reward at 106, Elizabeth-street.

LOST, in the vicinity of Darlinghurst, Blue Silk Bonnet. Finder rewarded at Royal Sovereign Hotel.

LOST, from No. 1, Short-street, Forest Lodge, GAME COCK and HEN. Reward.

LOST, a MAGPIE. Reward on returning it to Mrs. MORRIS, Lodge-street, Forest Lodge.

LOST, black Newfoundland SLUT, white breast and jaws, Simon. Reward 645, Bourke-st., Surry Hills.

LOST, between Court-house and Hutchinson-street, a brown Fur BOA; reward. 307, Darlinghurst Road.

LOST, on the Glebe Point 'bus, on Tuesday evening, £25. Finder will be rewarded by leaving it at Mrs. A. KERR'S, Lodge-street, Forest Lodge.

LOST, on Wednesday afternoon, Silver BRACELET, in or near Hunter-street. Reward at LAMB and FAIRFAX'S, Hunter-street.

LOST, from St. Francis's Church, two CEREMONIALS, with owner's named inscribed. Present custodian will oblige by addressing to F. P. CARROLL, St. Francis's, Haymarket.

£2 REWARD.—LOST, gold RING, with diamond set in silver. G. S. YEO, Randwick.

BOAT FOUND, 24 feet long, at Milson's Point, North Shore. By the 1st June it will be sold to pay expenses. Apply Mr. TALBOT'S Works, Milson's Point.

FOLLOWED, a lady from Burwood, black and tan Terrier DOG. Drayton Villa, Charlotte-st., Ashfield.

FOUND, a SLUT. Owner can have the same by paying expenses. Apply Wesleyan Church, York-street.

FOUND, a Terrier DOG. Owner can have same by describing it. THOS. MILLER, 284, Pitt-street.

MEETINGS

NEWTOWN YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN UNION.
A CONVERSAZIONE will be held in the Congregational Schoolroom, Newtown, on
THURSDAY and FRIDAY, May 30 and 31,
commencing at 7 p.m.
Tickets to be had at the door.

ROYAL SOCIETY OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
A General MEETING of the Members of the Royal Society of New South Wales will be held in the Society's Rooms, Elizabeth-street North, on WEDNESDAY next, June 5, at 8 p.m.
BUSINESS:
1. Ballot for new members.
2. Paper on "Timber Producing Forests of Tasmania," by Rev. J. E. Tenison-Woods, F.G.S., F.R.G.S.
3. On "Metallurgy of Nickel and Cobalt," by W. A. Dixon, Esq., F.C.S.
4. On "A proposed correction to the Assumed Longitude of the Sydney Observatory," by J. Tebbutt, Esq., F.R.A.S.
A. LIVERSIDGE } Hon.
A. LEIBIUS } Secretaries.

REFORM CLUB.—NOTICE.—The adjourned Half-yearly General MEETING, of which due notice has been given, will take place THIS DAY, at 2 p.m.
163, Macquarie-street, 30th May, 1878.

TRADES' and LABOUR COUNCIL.—The usual Fortnightly MEETING will be held at Hyde Park Hotel, at 8 p.m.
J. J. HALL, Secretary.

SADDLERS and Harness Makers Meeting at M'Masters's Hotel, Friday Night, May 31, 8 o'clock sharp.

MASONIC.—The Robert Burns Lodge, E.C., 817.— Emergency Meeting, at 7.15 sharp, TO-NIGHT.

MASONIC.—Lodge Tarbolton, 377, S.C.—Monthly Meeting, 7.30 p.m. Election, initiations.

86 CROMWELL LOYAL ORANGE LODGE.— Regular Monthly Meeting THIS EVENING, 8 o'clock, Wesleyan Chapel, Prince-street. Visiting brethren invited. J. DILLING, Secretary.

30 PIONEER L. O. L.—Regular Monthly MEETING, THIS EVENING, in Oddfellows' Hall, Woollahra, at 8. Every member requested to attend. Business very important; visitors cordially invited. H. Brian, S.

I. O.G.T. GRAND LODGE OF NEW SOUTH WALES and FIJI.
R.W.G.L. OF THE WORLD.
A SPECIAL SESSION will be held on SATURDAY EVENING next, 1st June, at 7 o'clock, at the Temperance Hall, Pitt-street, Sydney, for the "good of the Order," and for conferring Grand Lodge Degrees. After which there will be held a LODGE of INSTRUCTION, for the purpose of exemplifying the new Unwritten Work.
☞ NO ONE can be admitted without the current Quarterly Password, and no one can receive the G.L. Degree without the proper credentials.
JAMES BAKER, G.W.S.

WOOLLAHRA BAND OF HOPE.—MEETING, Friday night. Addresses by Mr. Alfred Allen and Rev. B. Meek, vocal and instrumental music, &c. JOHN SANDS, Hon. Secretary.

WOOLLAHRA LITERARY INSTITUTE.— MEETING, THIS EVENING, in the Congregational Schoolroom, Ocean-street, at 8 o'clock. Business: Manuscript Journal. THOMAS R. STEEL, Secretary.

REDFERN LITERARY SOCIETY.—Business this evening: Reading of Critic. Committee Meeting 7.30.

PRINCE OF WALES FISHING CLUB.—Persons desirous of joining the above club are invited to attend a MEETING to be held at Brown's Exchange Hotel, Pitt and Liverpool streets, THIS (Thursday) EVENING, at 9 o'clock sharp.
J. BRADY, Secretary.

SYDNEY AMATEUR ATHLETIC CLUB.—The Annual General MEETING of the Sydney Amateur Athletic Club will be held at the Exchange Hotel, THIS EVENING, 30th May, at 8.
Business: To adopt the report and balance-sheet; and to consider any other matters that may be brought forward.
R. ARNOLD, Hon. Secretary.

MINIATURE BAY OF NAPLES.

THREE MINUTES FROM THE FERRY.

LECTURES.

VICTORIA THEATRE, Pitt-street.
Mr. THOMAS WALKER
will deliver a LECTURE in the trance state, at the above place on SUNDAY EVENING NEXT, at 7.30 o'clock.
Subject: "SPIRITUALISM IN ITS RELATION TO SCIENCE and RELIGION."
Relevant QUESTIONS will be answered at the close.
The Honorable J. BOWIE WILSON will preside.
Doors open at 7. Admission as usual.

BOROUGH COUNCIL NOTICES.

BOROUGH OF BALMAIN.—NOTICE is hereby given that an ASSESSMENT upon all ratable property within the Borough has been made by the Council thereof for the purposes set forth in the 164th clause of the Municipalities Act of 1867, and that a municipal rate of one shilling (1s) in the pound (£) upon the assessed value of the said property has been ordered by the Council for the current municipal year, 1878-9; also, that a gas rate of fourpence (4d.) in the pound (£) upon such assessed value has been imposed for the same period, and that the books containing the same are now open for inspection. NOTICE is also given that a Court of Petty Sessions will be holden at the Water Police Office, Phillip-street North, Sydney, on SATURDAY, the 15th day of June next, at 10 a.m., to which any person feeling aggrieved by such assessment can appeal on giving not less than seven (7) days' notice to the Council of their intention to appeal.
Printed forms of appeal may be obtained at the Town Hall, Darling Road.
H. B. MACINTOSH, Council Clerk.
Town Hall, May 28, 1878.

BOROUGH OF REDFERN.—NOTICE is hereby given that all CARRIAGE TRAFFIC is suspended during the execution of certain necessary works in Castlereagh-street, between Redfern-street and Starkey's Manufactory.
W. S. WARDROP, Council Clerk.

TENDERS.

BOROUGH OF WATERLOO.—TENDERS are wanted for the supply of street Plates for all the aligned streets of this Borough.
Particulars may be had from Alderman Torning, 28½, O'Connell-street, or at his residence St. George's Parade, Waterloo.
PATRICK HOGAN, Mayor.
Open till the 31st May.

IN THE ASSIGNED ESTATE of SUN WAR SING and CO., General Storekeepers, WALLSEND.
TENDERS are hereby invited till Monday, the 3rd of June, for the purchase of STOCK and BOOK DEBTS in this Estate, either separately or conjointly.
The Stock is fairly assorted throughout, and offers an excellent opportunity to anyone seeking a fresh business.
Stock and Lists are now open for inspection on the premises, where tender forms and every information can be obtained; or, from the undersigned—
J. T. DAVENPORT and CO.,
Trade Assignees.
George and Wynyard streets, May 22nd, 1878.

MEDICAL.—COURT ROYALTY, ROYAL FORESTERS.
TENDERS are invited from Medical Gentlemen willing to attend on the members, their wives, and families of the above Court. Tenders, by letter only, up to MONDAY, June 3, to be sent to WILLIAM SHARP, Secretary, Loughlin-street, Balmain.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.—Separate TENDERS will be received up to the 4th of June next, for the Erection of a new Primitive Methodist Church in Goulburn.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
Tenders to be addressed to the Rev. CHAS. WATERS, No. 5, Blyth-terrace, Kent-street, Sydney; where plans and specifications may be obtained.
Mr. H. O. BELL,
Architect, Goulburn.

PRINCE ALFRED HOSPITAL.—TENDERS are invited for the ERECTION and COMPLETION of the LAUNDRY, at the Prince Alfred Hospital.
The works may be tendered for as follows:—
1. Excavation, drainage, masonry, and brickwork.
2. Carpentry and finishing trades.
3. Or the whole in one sum.
Plans and specifications may be seen on application at the offices of the architects, to whom tenders, endorsed "TENDER FOR LAUNDRY, P. A. HOSPITAL," are to be delivered, on or before THURSDAY, June 27, 1878.
Security will be required for the due performance of the work.
Forms of tender may be obtained at the Architect's Offices.
MANSFIELD, BROTHERS, Architects,
165, Pitt-street, Sydney.

PRINCE ALFRED HOSPITAL.—TENDERS are invited for the ERECTION and COMPLETION of the MORTUARY at the Prince Alfred Hospital.
The works may be tendered for as follows:—
1. Excavation, drainage, masonry, and brickwork.
2. Carpentry and finishing trades.
3. Or the whole in one sum.
Plans and specifications may be seen on application at the offices of the architects, to whom tenders, endorsed, "TENDER FOR MORTUARY P. A. HOSPITAL," are to be delivered on or before THURSDAY, JUNE 27, 1878.
Security will be required for the due performance of the work.
Forms of tender may be obtained at the Architects' Offices.
MANSFIELD, BROTHERS, Architects,
165, Pitt-street, Sydney.

PEAK DOWNS COPPER for SALE.—TENDERS will be received at the office of the Peak Downs Copper Mining Company, until 3 o'clock p.m., on WEDNESDAY, June 5th, for the purchase of 70 tons refined Copper, in cakes and ingots, shipped per Durham, from Melbourne to London; and also for a balance of about 18 tons, deliverable at the A. S. N. Company's wharf in Sydney.
The Company does not bind itself to accept the highest or any tender.
Further particulars can be obtained from the Secretary of the Company. D. N. JOUBERT, Secretary.

TENDERS are invited for the CONSTRUCTION of a WELL, at the Haymarket Station, Australian Gas Light Company.
Plans and specifications may be obtained at the offices of the Architects, to whom tenders endorsed "TENDER FOR WELL, HAYMARKET STATION, AUSTRALASIAN GAS LIGHT COMPANY" are to be delivered on or before SATURDAY, JUNE 1.
Forms of tender may be obtained at the Architect's offices.
Security will be required for the due performance of the work.
MANSFIELD, BROTHERS, Architects,
165, Pitt-street, Sydney.

TENDERS will be received up to the 1st of June for the Erection of a Terrace of six Houses. The work may be tendered for as under:—
1st. Excavation, masonry, and brickwork.
2nd. Carpenter and joiner, and all finishing trades.
Plans and specifications may be seen at Mr. A. HARBER'S Brickworks, Marrickville.

TO BUILDERS.—TENDERS are invited for the Erection of a HOT HOUSE and CONSERVATORY. Plans and specifications, 4, Waterloo-chambers. DAVID M'BEATH, Architect.

TO NIGHTMEN.—TENDERS will be received until MONDAY, June 3, from persons willing to contract for the removal of Nightsoil from this Municipality for the current year.
DANIEL HOLBOROW, Mayor.
Borough of Ashfield, May 24, 1878.

TENDERS will be received for the Erection of a House at Paddington, for Mrs. Hurst, up to WEDNESDAY, 5th June.
For plans and specifications, apply at Contractor's Office, Haymarket Gas Tank.

TENDERS invited for filling-in the ground round Auckland Villas; also for raising the fence outbuildings, &c. Further particulars, apply to JOHN T. SMITH, Manly.

TENDERS wanted for about 150 rods Scantling Wire Fence, Parramatta Junction—posts, 4 x 4; cap, 3 x 3; three wires, No. 6. Any portion, or all material found. A. S. LOW, No. 1, Bridge-street-chambers.

TO MASONS.—TENDERS are invited for stone work, labour only. Apply to Mr. N. WALLIS, 77, Bourke-street, Woolloomooloo.

TENDERS invited for the erection of four Cottages, at Camperdown, for ROBERT MURPHY, Crown and Anchor Hotel, Cleveland-street West.

TENDERERS, Builders, and Contractors.—Drain Pipes, all sizes. Conlon and Co., Broughton-street, Glebe.

TENDERS required for Lath and Plaster for Cottage, at Newtown, labour only. Particulars at 2, Barrack-st.

TENDERS wanted to Slate a house, situated on the Waverley Road. Montezuma Coattage, Waverley Rd.

WANTED.—TO PLASTERERS.—TENDERS for the CEMENTING of the interior walls of Trinity Church, Argyle-street; for labour, or labour and material.

VOLUNTEER NOTICES.

VOLUNTEER FORCES.
GENERAL ORDER.
His Excellency the Governor and Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to express satisfaction with the appearance, &c., of those Corps of the Military and Naval Forces of the colony which were reviewed by him on the 24th instant, in celebration of her Majesty's Birthday.
By command,
(Signed) JOHN S. RICHARDSON,
Colonel, Commandant.
Head Quarters, Sydney, 28th May, 1878.

5 BATTERY, V. A.—Armstrong DRILL, TO-NIGHT, as usual.
W. GORE BEVERLEY, Captain.

TORPEDO and SIGNALLING CORPS.—PARADE at Circular Quay, 2.15 p.m., on SATURDAY, 1st June. Undress, with side-arms. No puggarees.
E. C. CRACKNELL, Major,
Commanding T. and S. Corps.

2 CO.—All Rifles and Sword-bayonets MUST be left with Armourer, at Victoria Barracks, on or before MONDAY next, on which day there will be a special muster for that purpose. C. A. W.

5 CO., 1st REGIMENT.—Arms must be left at Victoria Barracks TO-NIGHT, 7 to 9. W. Johnston, captain.

NO. 8 CO.—DRILL, TO-NIGHT, at 8, in Victoria Barracks. Rifles and bayonets in the possession of members must be delivered to me after drill.
J. M. SMITH, Captain.

NON-COM. Officers' Reunion.—Presentation of Prizes, 2 Regiment Office, Friday Night, 7.30. B. F. Marshall.

P. AND S. H. CO. V.R.—Annual DINNER at Masonic Hall, meet at Darlinghurst, THIS EVENING, 7.30 sharp. Undress, sidearms (belts only).
G. B. GOUGH, Captain.

CADET ARTILLERY.—Assemble on SATURDAY next, 2 p.m., Circular Quay. The Fawn steamer will be in attendance at Prince's Stairs.
H. W. STRONG, Captain Commanding.

VOLUNTEER LAND ORDERS for Sale and purchased. Marks and Co., business agents, 154, Pitt-st.

VOLUNTEER LAND ORDERS for SALE; state highest price given. J. J. BROWN, Parramatta.

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ADVANCES made on mortgage, Deposit of Deeds, and all classes of securities, in any sums, on favourable terms. Applications personally, or by letter.
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JAMES P. GARVAN, Manager.

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£150 TO LEND on mortgage of freehold or leasehold security. J. S. M'ELVENEY, House, Land, and Estate Agent, 103, Elizabeth-street North.

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MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

BOROUGH OF DARLINGTON.—EXTRAORDINARY VACANCY.
NOTICE, Mr. SAMUEL HOLDER, of Elizabeth-street, and Mr. WILLIAM ELVY, of Shepherd-street, Darlington, were THIS DAY nominated for the office of ALDERMAN, vice JONES, disqualified.
A POLL for the election of a successor will be taken at the Council-chambers, Rose-street, on FRIDAY next, between the hours of 8 and 3 o'clock.
HENRY HARGREAVES,
Mayor and Returning-Officer.
Darlington, May 25, 1878.
N.B.—The proposed nomination of Mr. JOHN MANNIX was informal by the omission of the nominators' occupations.

ELECTORS of Darlington.—Be early at the Poll. Vote for W. ELVY. Polling Day, FRIDAY, 31st.

ELECTORS OF DARLINGTON.—Vote for W. ELVY, who will attend to your interests.

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PRIVATE LESSONS in dancing. G. J. READ and CO., 168, Pitt-street.

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BOOKS, PUBLICATIONS, ETC.

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N.B.—As some confusion exists in the minds of city residents in regard to the proprietorship of the CUMBERLAND MERCURY and another newspaper, started in opposition some years subsequent to the MERCURY, and also part named "Cumberland," it will be well if they couple "FULLER" with "CUMBERLAND MERCURY."
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PROFESSOR PARKES on Public Health, 3s, p. 4d; Lee on Imperfect Digestion, 5s, p. 8d; Headaches, their Causes and Cure, 1s 6d, p. 3d; Eyre on the Stomach and its Difficulties, 1s 6d, p. 3d. J. READING.

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LAW.

SUPREME COURT.—Wednesday, May 29.
Sittings for Causes.
Banco Court.

Before his Honor the Chief Justice and a jury of four.

MONTEFIORE AND ANOTHER v. O'CONNOR.

Jury: Messrs. John Arthur, James M'Donald, Frederick Peter Saunders, and Francis Fowler.

Mr. M. H. Stephen and Mr. Knox, instructed by Messrs. Want, Johnson, and Want, appeared for the plaintiff; Mr. Darley, Mr. Butler, Q.C., with him, instructed by Messrs. Holdsworth and Brown, for the defendant.

Montefiore and Montefiore sued Timothy O'Connor for that A. Marchant, on the 10th July, 1877, at Noumea, by his foreign bill of exchange, now overdue, directed to the Bank of New Caledonia in Paris, required the bank to pay to the order of the defendant 90 days after sight 1535 francs (£61 4s.). The defendant indorsed to the plaintiffs. The bill was duly presented, and dishonoured. Also, on the money counts.

The defendant pleaded—1. That he did not indorse. 2. The defendant placed his signature on the bill as the indorser, on the understanding with the plaintiffs that it was for the purpose of making the bill negotiable only, and not for the purpose of giving any cause to the plaintiffs as against the defendant in case the bill was dishonoured. Never indebted to the 2nd count.

From the evidence it appeared that a letter addressed to the defendant came to the plaintiffs' house from Noumea, New Caledonia, enclosing a foreign (French) bill of exchange, and some account sales of some beef consigned by the defendant to a merchant in Noumea. The defendant indorsed the bill to the plaintiffs, and handed it to them, receiving in exchange £60 6s. 9d., the amount of the bill less exchange. The defendant's case was that he had consigned during the last two or three years four shipments of beef to Noumea, New Caledonia, to Messrs. Higginson, Morgan, and Co., and had on three occasions been paid the price the beef realised by the plaintiffs' cheques. The beef had been shipped through their office. No account sales were received for the last shipment for some months; they eventually arrived, together with the bill sued upon, through the plaintiffs' office. As the defendant opened the letter, and exposed the bill, Mr. George Montefiore said: "I suppose you want to sell me that?" The defendant replied: "Yes, sir, it's no good to me," and handed it over. The defendant was then given a cheque, and, at the plaintiff's request, signed his name on the back of the bill.

Mr. Darley addressed the jury for the defendant, contending that the second plea had been made out; that it was evident that the plaintiffs purchased the bill with all its risks, and that the defendant had only indorsed it to make it negotiable.

Mr. M. H. Stephen replied.

His Honor, in directing the jury, said that in his opinion there was no evidence whatever to support the second plea; nothing of the kind was proved. On each of the issues the verdict should be for the plaintiffs. An indorsement and delivery had been clearly proved. It was open to a person indorsing to make a verbal arrangement that the indorsee should not have recourse. If the circumstances under which the bill was given were of such a character as to lead to the inference that the plaintiffs were not to have recourse against the defendant, he would not be liable, although the words "without recourse" were not on the bill. Taking the defendant's own account of the transaction, it appeared to his Honor that the defendant had indorsed.

The jury, after retiring from 12·45 till 4·15, returned a verdict for the defendant.

His Honor granted a stay of execution.

Before his Honor Sir William Manning and a jury of four.

A. S. N. CO. v. THURSTON.

This was an action for a short delivery of goods consigned to the plaintiffs in the Bruckley Castle. The evidence was closed, and counsel had addressed the jury, when the Court rose. His Honor will sum up the evidence to-morrow (Thursday) morning.

Jury Court.

Before his Honor Mr. Justice Faucett and a jury of four.

KINGSBURY v. HALKETT.

Jury: Messrs. James M'Donald, Alfred Neale, Thomas Playfair, and William Jolly.

Mr. Butler, Q.C., and Mr. Darley, instructed by Messrs. Holdsworth and Brown, appeared for the plaintiff; Sir George Innes and Mr. Healey, instructed by Mr. W. Oliver, appeared for the defendant.

James Kingsbury sued Laurence Halkett for slander. The plaintiff and defendant were duly qualified medical practitioners. The plaintiff was in the exercise of his profession attending a woman in childbirth, and the defendant spoke and published of him in relation to his profession the words following: "An old washerwoman is better than him;" "he is a humbug;" "he has been to California and got a bogus diploma, which any one could buy;" "he is an irregular, a hydropath, a quack, and the son of a quack." For the injury to his practice, credit, and reputation, the plaintiff claimed £1000.

The defendant pleaded (1) not guilty; (2) the plaintiff was not a duly qualified medical practitioner.

H. Nye, bootmaker, resided at the Glebe, and belonged to the Protestant Alliance Benefit Society, of which the defendant was the medical officer. On the 29th January he called on the defendant to attend Mrs. Nye in her confinement, having given him previous notice in accordance with the laws of the institution. The defendant said that he had been out all night, and that 7 a.m. was an unusual hour to go; that he could only go if witness procured a cab; witness decline to procure a cab. At 8 he had not arrived, at 8.30 it was necessary to have assistance, and the plaintiff was called in and attended. At about 11 the defendant came; Mrs. Nye had been confined, and the plaintiff had left. The defendant was told that he was too late, the confinement was over, and the plaintiff (Kingsbury) had been called in. He replied, "An old midwife or washerwoman would have been better than him;" he then saw Mrs. Nye, and on leaving the bedroom, in reply to a remark that "Mr. Kingsbury was a duly qualified man," the defendant replied, "He might be, he had been to America and California and got a bogus diploma;" that was said on the stairs. At the front door, in answer to another question as to how it was that he had "Dr., Physician, and Surgeon" on his doorplate, the defendant replied, "Oh you could have that if you like; he is only a quack and the son of an old quack." Witness continued: From what he had read in the papers, he did not think any one could put it on his doorplate unless he was entitled to it, as they had compelled one Moore to remove "Dr." from his doorplate and put "Homœopathist;" the defendant also said the plaintiff was a "hydropath" and "a humbug;" the defendant then left. The words were spoken in a loud voice; Mrs. Nye could have heard most of them. The witness afterwards asked the plaintiff some questions as to his qualifications, and then told him what the defendant had said.

On cross-examination: Witness went to defendant's house, in Wynyard-square, at 7 in the morning; he did not say whether he would attend or not, and witness left; Dr. Halkett was still the medical officer of the lodge.

Mrs. Nye corroborated her husband as to some of the words.

James Kingsbury: I lived at Newtown, with my father, before I went to America; in accordance with my father's desire, I went to America, and became pupil to Dr. H. M. Harvey, at Burlington, New Jersey, about seventy or eighty miles from New York; Dr. Harvey was in good practice, and was qualified to practise; I first studied in Long Island College Hospital; the college was in connection with the hospital; the college has the power to confer degrees—(schedule of lectures was put in, showing the order and subjects of lectures in 1877); in May, 1874, I went to Dr. Harvey's; I went to Bellevue Hospital Medical College, which has the power to grant degrees; 423 students were at the college; the students' names were published; I complied with all the rules of the college imposed by the State, and underwent three years of study; when I passed my final examination I was not 21; I had to wait till I was 21 to get a diploma; in 1876 I commenced at Long Island College Hospital; till March in that year I was studying under Dr. Harvey; I attended all the lectures that term, and at the same time operated in the dissecting room; I produce a certificate to that effect signed by the Demonstrator of Anatomy; I then went to Bellevue College, Twenty-sixth-street, New York, where I matriculated, and produce the matriculation ticket; nineteen professors lectured in that college—all of them eminent men; many of them were authors; I attended all the lectures, from 8 a.m. to 5.30 p.m., and an examination for two hours in the evening, from September till the end of February; when eligible for graduation I was examined and passed; I then again went to Long Island, and passed a course of lectures till June, 1877; I was examined in the seven departments of medical study; I obtained my diploma, dated 1st March, 1877, enabling me to practise in any part of the United States; after travelling for some time I came to Sydney in November last year and applied to be registered by the Medical Board; as some of my tickets had not come to hand my application was refused; afterwards when the tickets arrived I renewed the application, and lodged the tickets with the Board; addressed a letter to them, and applied personally, and was told that they could not register me as I had studied three years under a medical preceptor and not at a college; I had then commenced practice at the Glebe; I know Dr. Halkett by sight only; I had seen him at the Infirmary when I was applying to be registered; I was called in, and attended Mrs. Nye; some days afterwards I heard from Mr. Nye of the words used by Dr. Halkett.

Cross-examined: The Medical Board referred me to the Act—Medical Practitioners' Act—of 1855; I have never spoken to Dr. Halkett; he is not, I believe, a member of the Board; I attended lectures from March, 1876, to the end of June, 1876, from September to February 21st, 1877, also from 1st March to June, 1877; in May, 1877, I left my preceptor; I was three years with him, including the time I was attending lectures at Long Island and Bellevue; I was attending lectures thirteen months; I dissected the entire human body; for four months I was almost constantly dissecting; it would take over five weeks to dissect an arm; it would depend upon the dexterity with the knife of the operator; some students would take three weeks to dissect the head under the eye of the demonstrator; I have studied other subjects than those in which I was examined; I was examined in botany, in natural history, pathology, chemistry, medical psychology, and medical jurisprudence, and other subjects; botany would be included under materia medica—medical jurisprudence under the practice of medicine; I commenced practice in the early part of December; no complaints were made of my want of skill; there was no question about the setting of a bone before the action; there has been since in the case of a lady named Neill; it was not a complaint: she told me that some doctors had said that it was not set as it ought to be; it was a complicated fracture of the wrist; without referring to my book I could not say when I attended; the treatment was as good as the circumstances would allow, and under the circumstances was successful.

Re-examined: Both of the bones of the fore arm were broken and two of the bones of the wrist displaced; the patient was between 60 and 70 years of age; the age of the patient makes a great difference in the success of an operation; I am in a position to produce the highest authorities to justify my treatment.

Cross-examined: There was no other complaint from any one I had attended; I was called in to attend a woman named Brown who was suffering from concussion of the brain; I prescribed tincture of opium; the prescription was in writing; it was last December; I do not remember the quantity I ordered; I did not see any symptoms or manifestations of concussion of the brain at that time; I can't say that I prescribed 30 drops in the first instance, or that I ordered 25 drops to be followed in 25 minutes, or at intervals other doses diminishing by 5 drops; such a treatment under the circumstances would not be proper; I saw the woman only once; she was not unconscious; I was not present at the accident; I was called in about 5 p.m.; I was told the accident had only happened about 10 minutes; she had fallen on to her back when getting out of a vehicle (prescription handed to him); this looks like my prescription; it is like my signature; it is not dated; I think it was on Boxing Day, the day after Christmas (vial handed to him); this bottle would hold 2 to 3 drachms; I only saw the woman afterwards when she came to pay my bill; Mrs. Neill did not complain; I expressed my regret that she was not satisfied; she complained that she had lost the full use of some of her fingers.

This closed the plaintiff's case.

Lawrence John Halkett, the defendant, a surgeon, and registered by the Board since 1872 as a legally qualified medical practitioner: I obtained my license to practise as a surgeon in October, 1872; I was resident medical officer in the Sydney Infirmary for four years; I did not know the plaintiff prior to this matter; nearly all the medical practitioners in the colony are registered; even the surgeons in the navy are registered; the license was granted by the Royal College of Surgeons, of London; at 7 a.m., when I was going to bed, I was called downstairs, and saw the man Nye; he told me he wished me to come at once to his wife, out at the Glebe; I replied "It is impossible for me to go, I have been out the whole of the night;" I, after a pause, then said, "Well, if you fetch me a cab I will go;" the man made no reply in my hearing, and I turned back upstairs to my own bedroom, where I waited three or four minutes; the man never returned, as I went to bed; the man's manner was sulky; I replied before I turned away that it would be impossible for me to go, I was thoroughly knocked up, he must get somebody else; I had been out since 9 at night, and had only just got home; I had had two confinement cases, both tedious and slow cases; I slept about three hours, till about 10.30, and arrived at his place at about 11; he opened the door and said, "Good morning," or something of that sort; then continued, "You're too late, we had to send for Dr. Kingsbury;" it is utterly untrue that I said, "Oh! an old midwife or washerwoman would do as well as he;" I said, "Shall I go upstairs and see your wife?" he replied, "Yes;" I went up and saw my patient, and spoke to her as a medical man would under the circumstances; I only remained there two minutes or so; I think a nurse was in the room in the back ground; the house is a very small one; had I spoken in a loud voice the nurse must have heard what was said; I then went down stairs; there was no landing; I did not say a word about Dr. Kingsbury either upstairs or on my way down; just as I was opening the front door, Nye came up from the back premises, the kitchen; I said "Your wife has got over it nicely, but why did you get such a man as Kingsbury, when you might have got plenty of qualified men just as near?" he replied, "He is a doctor, sir;" I said "No, he is not a duly qualified man—he has twice tried to pass the Board without success;" he then said, "He must be a doctor, sir, because he had 'Dr. Kingsbury, Physician and Surgeon,' on his door;" I replied that anybody could call himself doctor in this country; I then said, "Well, don't you know who he is—he is the son of the old man out at Newtown—he has been to America, and though I believe he has got some kind of bogus degree, our Medical Board won't look at it;" he then said, "He has attended my wife very well;" I replied, "That almost any old washerwoman in Sydney could attend to such cases;" after some pause I said, "The fact is the man is a quack; the medical profession do not believe in the cold water cure, not as a rule; as a tradition I only knew of the existence of old Mr. Kingsbury, of Newtown; about four years ago I heard at an inquest that he had prescribed a teaspoonful of cold water every four hours; I remembered the circumstance, as I was much tickled by it; members of the medical profession object to meet practitioners who are not registered; there is more danger after delivery than during actual delivery in ordinary midwifery cases; from general hearsay I knew that Dr. Kingsbury had applied to, and been refused by, the Medical Board; I called the next day, and made a professional visit, but seeing Dr. Kingsbury's buggy there I told the girl who answered the door that as they did not want two doctors I would not call again; I dismissed myself, as I saw his buggy there; I began in November, 1864, at Edinburgh University by matriculating; during the winter session I attended lectures on natural philosophy and natural history; in the summer session, 1865, practical chemistry and botany; in the winter session, 1865-66, lectures on chemistry and natural philosophy; I then left Edinburgh, and went to a school of medicine in Newcastle-on-Tyne, affiliated with the University of Durham; for the winter session, 1866-67, I studied anatomy, practical anatomy, chemistry, and physiology; the summer session of 1867, practical chemistry, botany, and comparative anatomy; 1867-68 winter session, studied the same as the first winter session, with the exception of chemistry; in the summer of that year I studied practical surgery and clinical medicine and surgery; in the summer I studied medicine and surgery, &c.; the following summer, medical jurisprudence, toxicology; in winter session 1869-70, clinical medicine and medicine, clinical surgery and surgery, and psychological medicine; that was the end of my collegiate career; I qualified in the following October; during the last two years I had been resident in the hospital, clinical dresser, clinical clerk, assistant house-surgeon, and then full house-surgeon, after that pro-director of Durham University.

Cross-examined: I do not understand the question of privilege yet, and I do not think lawyers do either; I had not the foggiest idea that a question of privilege would be raised when I swore that I considered the Nyes my patients; I heard when the Medical Board met all I knew of Dr. Kingsbury from a member of the Medical Board, or from the clerk or manager of the Infirmary; at the University of Edinburgh, four years of study are required; once, a shorter time only was necessary; I myself do not hold a degree from any university; I hold a license, better than a degree; many a second or third rate M.D. would change his degree for a license from the Royal College of Physicians; I passed two examinations; by "bogus" diploma I understand a diploma obtained by false pretences.

Dr. Halkett was at times very emphatic, especially when being cross-examined.

Dr. Halkett recalled: Before this affair I did not know Dr. Kingsbury; I had never been brought into collision with him professionally or otherwise; I had never met him; in explanation of my answer as to the definition of "bogus diploma," I did not mean to say what I did say, I was so much harassed and bothered; I meant to say that a "bogus diploma" was one that, on the face of it, would convey to the sense of any man who knew anything about a diploma the resemblance of one of our English diplomas, which cannot be obtained without three years' collegiate study at the least; that was what I meant; I did not mean that Dr. Kingsbury had obtained a diploma by false pretences; being greatly harassed I expressed myself inaccurately.

Cross-examined: I know of a book written by Dr. Flint, on the "Principles and Practice of Medicine;" it is an authority; Dr. Flint, jun., is also an author; I know Dr. Sayre personally—he has a good name; I have heard that those doctors are professors in Bellevue Hospital; I have heard that an M.D. of Bellevue Hospital College was registered by the Medical Board; Dr. Hartigan was a first-class doctor, and was not registered by the Medical Board.

Owen Spencer Evans, surgeon: By bogus diploma I understand is meant the shadow without the substance—in other words, that the holder had not undergone the proper course of study necessary to obtain a diploma—or one merely obtained by money; such institutions are now done away with, recently in America, and some years ago in Germany; I am a member of the Medical Board of New South Wales for the last two years; as far as practicable I have made myself acquainted with the course of study required by the different medical institutions which grant degrees; I do not know of any institution which grants a diploma after less than three years' collegiate study; four years' study is generally required, unless the candidate is possessed of some qualification recognized by the general Medical Board; that is in reference to Great Britain; I believe it also applied to foreign colleges; from looking at the diploma of Dr. Kingsbury, I would think that it was the diploma of the college by which it is purported to be issued—that the holder of it had gone through the full course of study required in America; I believe I know what is required in America; I learned from the medical officers of the Tuscarora that each university issued its own degree; they were not of great value; the Federal army and navy and the best colleges insisted upon two years' preliminary study—that is actual attendance in a hospital or medical school.

Cross-examined: On the diploma of Dr. Kingsbury there are many distinguished names; America has produced very many distinguished doctors and surgeons, and some well-known authors; those signing the diploma should be the best judges of the capabilities of the holder of it; I do not believe that the persons signing that diploma would put their names to a bogus diploma; I know the University of Pennsylvania; Dr. Dowe was a member of that university and was registered by the Board; I know of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of New York by reading, Long Island College Hospital, also of others in America; I do not know that the curriculum of those places is the same as that of Bellevue Hospital.

Re-examined: I, as a member of the Board, have satisfied myself that those registered have undergone a course of three years' collegiate study, altogether irrespective of the diploma; I would be surprised to hear that the holder of a diploma had only passed thirteen months of study in a medical school, and the balance of three years with a preceptor; I should not apply the word "bogus" to such a degree.

Philip Sydney Jones, doctor of medicine: I hold a diploma from the London University; I have been engaged in the practice of my profession in Sydney since 1851; I am a member of the Medical Board for the last three or four years; I have as far as possible made myself acquainted with the course of study required by institutions which grant diplomas; in my experience I do not know of any recognized institution in Great Britain and Ireland which grants a diploma of this kind after a course of collegiate study of less than three years, nor of a foreign examining body, except in America; the shortest period, outside of America, is three years; it is otherwise in America; I have every reason to believe so.

H. N. M'Laurin, M.D.: I am not a member of the Medical Board; four years of collegiate study is generally required before a medical diploma can be obtained; that is altogether apart from any study with a preceptor; the study must be under a number of professors, each of which is allowed to lecture on one subject only, unless in cases where two subjects are closely allied; by bogus diploma I understand a diploma which pretends to give to the holder of it a status to which he is not entitled by the course of study he has undergone, or the examinations to which he has been subjected; this diploma would lead an unprejudiced medical man to believe that the holder had undergone the course of study and examinations which are required by the recognized institutions; some of the names attached to the diploma are of very eminent men; I would be very much surprised to hear that the holder of this diploma had undergone only thirteen months' collegiate study, and about two years with a preceptor; I have no acquaintance with Dr. Kingsbury.

Cross-examined: I know nothing of most of the universities in America, or the curriculum required; in America there are some very eminent medical men—also some of those who have signed this diploma are very eminent men, and well-known and recognized authors.

This closed the defendant's case.

Mr. Darley replied.

His Honor summed up—The Medical Board could not have registered Dr. Kingsbury without acting contrary to law. They acted with strict propriety, and in accordance with law, in declining to place his name on the Register, as on examination it appeared that, although he had obtained a diploma, he had not undergone three years' study in a medical college. It was desirable that all medical men should be registered under the Act—Medical Practitioners' Act,—as the public then knew that they were duly qualified men. The jury had to consider (1), were the words, alleged, used? and, (2) were they slanderous? In his Honor's opinion the words were highly slanderous if the plaintiff was duly qualified, and according to the defendant's own evidence, substantially, the words were spoken. Was the plaintiff duly qualified?—not in the restricted sense, but in the broad sense, was he duly qualified to go amongst the public and practise his profession? The whole of the circumstances should be considered—the number of months that the plaintiff studied at Bellevue and Long Island Colleges, and also the private instruction he obtained from his preceptor, Dr. Parry, during two years. His Honor was inclined to think that the words were not spoken on a privileged occasion. The question of privilege did not arise. That, however, was also a question for the jury. Were the words spoken by the defendant, when attending professionally, as a caution, or as advice to his patients? If so it would be protected. If the plaintiff was in their (the jury's) opinion duly qualified, and the words were spoken on an occasion when they were not protected by privilege, the only remaining question would be that of damages. The words were spoken in the hearing of one person only. If Nye circulated the slander, he would be liable; the defendant would not be liable for what Nye might choose to do. By the Defamation Act, if the words were spoken on an occasion not likely to prejudice the plaintiff, the defendant would be entitled to a verdict. They should also take into consideration the circumstances under which the words were spoken in estimating the damages, if it came to a question of damages.

The jury retired at 4.45, and in a few minutes returned to Court and asked the Judge the smallest amount of damages which would cover costs.

His Honor answered that, as a matter of law, any sum over £30 would carry costs as a matter of course, but that it was in the power of the Judge to certify that the action was a fit action to be tried in the Supreme Court if a verdict for a sum less than £30 was given—then costs would follow.

The jury, after again retiring, returned a verdict for the plaintiff, with 40s. damages.

His Honor was clearly of opinion that it was a fit action to be tried in the Supreme Court, and certified for costs.

INSOLVENCY COURT.
Wednesday.

Before the Chief Commissioner.

In the matter of John Pentherbey, a single meeting. Insolvent deposed to the accuracy of his schedule. Debts proved: Crocker and Co., £64 1s. 2d.; Albert Allen, £123 9s. 8d. Directions were given to allow the insolvent his furniture and wearing apparel. The meeting terminated.

In the matter of John Milsted, a single meeting. Insolvent deposed to the accuracy of his schedule. No debts were proved, no directions were given, and the meeting terminated.

In the matter of Edward Benson, a special meeting. A claim by J. Murphy for £859 19s. 1d. was challenged by Mr. R. B. Smith on behalf of the official assignee, and the hearing was adjourned.

In the matter of Peter Dogger, a first meeting. Debts proved: Biddell, Brothers, £12 4s. 10d.; James Grassick, £29 17s. 6d.; H. Elliott, £29 13s. 3d.; Peteson Boesen, £78 5s. 10d.; J. Macgregor, £59 17s. The meeting terminated.

In the matter of Heydon Hezekiah Hall and Paul Siemon Forbes, a special meeting. One claim was considered, but was held over for six months for proof, and the meeting terminated.

In the matter of John William Cranley, a first meeting. No debts were proved, and the meeting terminated.

In the matter of George Alexander Cobcroft, a special meeting. Debt proved: S. J. Dunston, £35. The meeting terminated.

In the matter of Patrick Thomas Renny, a first meeting. No debts were proved, and the meeting terminated.

In the matter of William Hardie, an adjourned single meeting. Debts proved: Teas, Stewart, and Burnett £269 3s. 9d. The insolvent not being present, the meeting was adjourned for a week to procure his attendance for examination.

In the matter of George Charles Johnstone, a first meeting. Debt proved: Hardy, Brothers, £23 8s. The meeting terminated.

SURRENDERS.

Francis de Wilgen, of West Maitland, baker. Liabilities, £58 3s. 3d. Assets, £79 2s. Mr. Lyons, official assignee.

Edward Boys, of Sussex-street, Sydney, late of Wallabadah, out of employment. Liabilities, £78 5s. Assets, £2 18s. Mr. Sempill, official assignee.

SCHEDULE FILED.

Peter Street, of Newcastle, builder. Liabilities, £808, of which £615 is secured. Assets, £275.

MEETINGS OF CREDITORS.

Thursday, May 30, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: Christopher Newton, Brother, and Co. v. William Merryweather, for compulsory sequestration; John Kemp Welch v. Percival S. F. Stephen, same; John Douglass Osborne, for review of District Commissioner's decision admitting proof of Bank of New South Wales; Montague Levien Salamon, adjourned special for proof of debt; Jeremiah Sheehan, for ratification of directions; Hardwick Evans, same; Johnston Morrow, same; William Ryles, adjourned application for certificate; Thomas Hillier, adjourned third; Alexander Greville, for order for imprisonment. Before the District Commissioner: At Scone, Elijah Cox, first and only.

Friday, May 31, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: Thomas Tom Lane, third; Finlay M'Martin, same; Cornelius Riordan, same; Alfred Hope Pellett, same; Charles Stacey, second; Peter Reilly, same; Alexander Donaldson, special, for proof of debt and attendance of insolvent to account for his insolvency; John Falconer, special, for proof of debt; Glenbervie Brown, same; Michael Mullaney, first. Before the District Commissioner: At Maitland, George Daunt, examination of witnesses; Robert Robinson, first and only; Samuel Foster, same; at Bega, John Bede Evans, examination of insolvent and witnesses.

Monday, June 3, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: Albert Goldstein, adjourned examination. Before the District Commissioner: At Mudgee, William Patrick, first and only; William Luck, same; at Bombala, Tobias Tyler, same; at Narrabri, John Alfred Williams, same.

Tuesday, June 4, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: Certificate Applications—Francis Otto Schmitz, Richard William Johnston, Charles William Mash, Joseph William Mitchell, Alexander Donaldson, Patrick Gavan Buckley, Henry Dose.

Wednesday, June 5, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: Albert Goldstein, third; Neil Charles Stewart, same; Peter Griffiths, same; James Frederick Merrett, same; Thomas Kelton, same; Benjamin Benjamin, trading as B. Benjamin and Co., same; Josiah Workman, same; Sarah O'Hehir, adjourned first and only; James Copeland, special, for proof of debt. Before the District Commissioner: At Forbes, Peter Dogger, second; at Carcoar, Richard Owen, first and only; at Newcastle, Henry Weiden Haufmond, same; at Kempsey, Frederick Sergeant, same.

Thursday, June 6, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: Accounts and plans for confirmation in the following estates—William James Crispe, dividend 2s. 11¼d.; Walter James Garnett, dividend 1s. 6¼d. concurrent and 20s. preferent; Robert Cadell Hogg, dividend 9s.; George John Pattison, an account only; William Moncur Wallis, for ratification of directions. Before the District Commissioner: At Tenterfield, John Edward Elliott, first and only.

COURT OF QUARTER SESSIONS.
Wednesday.

The May sittings of the Court of Quarter Sessions were resumed on Tuesday, Mr. District Court Judge Wilkinson presiding. Mr. D. E. Rogers prosecuted for the Crown.

SENTENCE.

Peter Becker, who pleaded guilty to a charge of embezzling, was sentenced to one month's imprisonment with hard labour, his Honor directing that he should be kept separate from the other prisoners.

LARCENY.

Joseph Hill was charged with having stolen a watch-chain and ring and money to the amount of £1 0s. 6d., the property of Peter M'Cormick. The prisoner and the prosecutor, it appeared, occupied the same bedroom. On the night in question the prosecutor went to bed, leaving the property named in his vest, which he hung at the head of his bed. On awaking, he found the prisoner gone, also the jewellery and money. During the night, another man, who also slept in the same room, observed the prisoner go over to M'Cormick's bed, and then back to his own, where something jingled under the clothes. He then went down into the yard, with only his trousers on. The purse was found on the dressing-table, and the articles of jewellery concealed in a dust-shed in the yard. When the latter was found, the prisoner admitted that he had put them there. The jury found a verdict of guilty, and the prisoner was sentenced to nine months' imprisonment.

STEALING JEWELLERY AND MONEY.

Janet Bradbury and Margaret Gray were charged with having stolen a watch-chain and ring, also £3 8s. in money, the property of Hamilton Frew. There was also a second count against the prisoner of receiving the property, knowing it to be stolen. The prosecutor stated that he had come into Sydney from Wollongong, and that he was pulled down from behind, and the property enumerated stolen from him. He thought he could see two men and one woman. Subsequently the prisoners, it was shown, went to a Mrs. Taylor and offered the watch as security for a small sum they required. When prisoner Gray was arrested, she said, "I didn't take the watch; Bradbury took it." The jury found the prisoners guilty of receiving, and they were sentenced to six months' imprisonment each.

GAROTTING.

John Hooter was charged that by means calculated to choke, suffocate, and strangle one Thomas Harkness, to wit, by violently placing one of his (the said John Hooter's) arms around and thereby compressing the neck of the said Thomas Harkness, he feloniously did attempt to render the said Thomas Harkness incapable of resistance, with intent thereby to enable him (the said John Hooter) to commit an indictable offence, to wit, feloniously to steal, take, and carry away from the person of the said Thomas Harkness the moneys, to wit, to the amount of 17s. 6d., of the said Thomas Harkness. The prosecutor gave evidence that he was a farm labourer, and on the 22nd May last was lodging in Sydney. The same evening he met the prisoner whom he had known when he was in trouble himself, and gave him several drinks. The prisoner said, "You might as well come to my place," and he did, and sent out for several drinks. Prisoner asked if prosecutor would stay there for the night, and prosecutor declined, and the two then went up to an hotel in Erskine-street, kept by Mrs. Jenkins, where they had some drinks, and then to Mr. Blair's hotel in Sussex-street, where they had more drink. Prosecutor asked Blair to take care of some money, and Blair declined. That was about a quarter to 12 o'clock, and prosecutor then knew perfectly well what was going on. On getting outside, prosecutor lent prisoner a little silver to release a pipe, and the two then went down Union-lane. When opposite a back entrance the prisoner put his right arm round prosecutor's neck, and pulled him against him so that it was impossible to cry out. When down, prisoner kicked the prosecutor about the head and face, and then lifted him up and robbed him of 17s. 6d. Prosecutor called out "Murder," but there was no one came. Prosecutor had been "in trouble" once himself for stealing a cash-box. To prosecutor: Had done fifteen months in Darlinghurst gaol, and might also have done six months; had not been continually thieving with the prisoner for the last four weeks. Frank Blair, a publican, in Sussex-street, deposed that on the night in question, the prisoner and prosecutor were in his hotel; the prosecutor was under the influence of liquor, and asked witness to take care of some silver for him, but witness declined; the prosecutor, though under the influence of liquor, was not incapable; the prisoner was the more sober of the two; knew Union-lane; it was so narrow that two could not walk abreast; the prisoner went away, and then came back and stood under witness's window; the prosecutor counted out 9s. 3d., and said he had another half sovereign; after that saw the two go in the direction of Union-lane, and in about eight minutes heard cries of "murder" coming from the direction of the lane. To prisoner: There was many a man robbed down in that direction that the police knew nothing about. This concluded the case for the Crown. The prisoner called Warder Carroll, who deposed that the following convictions were recorded against the prosecutor:—Drunkenness, 3 days; stealing, 6 months; stealing, 6 months; stealing, 6 months; stealing, 15 months; stealing, 3 months; stealing, 6 months; drunkenness, 4 days; and stealing a cash box, two years. Henry Keys, a publican, gave evidence that he had seen the prosecutor in prisoner's company about five weeks ago; about the 25th of April last had heard the prosecutor say that he intended to put prisoner away. To the Crown Prosecutor: It was hard for him to say what class of people frequented his hotel; knew that the jury refused to believe his evidence the other day in a case of bacon robbery; bought the bacon which had been stolen, for £3 17s. 6d., and it was worth £6; the prosecutor made the remark about putting prisoner away four times; three times he said it out in the hearing of people in the bar and once to witness personally; there were many respectable women who came to his house with jugs; there were other women who came with men; he would neither like to call them respectable women nor prostitutes; had been in Court while the case was going on, until he was sent out by a policeman; had told the prisoner what prosecutor had said about putting him away. The prosecutor had made the remark in the hearing of Johnston, Jackson, Armstrong, and Mrs. White; his house was frequented by thieves; knew that the prisoner was always in the company of thieves; had given evidence five times in criminal cases; in the bacon case the jury first disagreed, and then the man was acquitted. Thomas Harkness, recalled, denied that he had ever made the remark about putting the prisoner away. The prisoner stated that the prosecutor had been in his company for the last four weeks, and that he was earning a living in the same way he was—thieving. The jury returned a verdict of guilty, and the prisoner was remanded for sentence.

LARCENY.

Alexander Barber and Aaron Gravner, alias Knowles, were charged with stealing sixty packages of vermin-killer, valued at £6, the property of Arthur Cubitt. The prisoners were defended by Mr. Buchanan. It appeared that one of the prisoners went to the prosecutor and spoke to him about becoming agent for the sale of vermin-killer. Subsequently the two prisoners went to the establishment of the prosecutor while he was absent, and it was sworn to by the office boy that he saw the prisoner Gravner put a parcel of twelve packages of the stuff into a black bag. In all five parcels containing each twelve packages were missed. Mr. Buchanan examined both the prosecutor and his office boy at considerable length with reference to the statements made in the Police Court and the statements made in this Court. The discrepancies that Mr. Buchanan pointed out in the evidence of these two witnesses constituted the defence. The jury retired, and, after about an hour's deliberation, brought in a verdict of guilty as against Gravner; with regard to Barker they could not agree, and he was allowed to go on his own recognisance of £40 to appear when called.

ASSAULT.

Jabez Shelby Oldham was charged with having assaulted Matilda Marshall, occasioning her grievous bodily harm. Mr. Forster defended the prisoner. The case for the Crown was that the prisoner without any provocation assaulted the prosecutrix and struck her so violently with a stick as to necessitate her removal to the Infirmary. Both the prosecutrix and her husband denied that bad language had been used, or that she had been under the influence of liquor. For the defence evidence was called to show that the prosecutrix was quite drunk on the night after the alleged assault, that her husband and the prisoner had had a quarrel on the same night, and that another man—not the prisoner—struck the woman on the head with a stick; also that the prisoner had always borne a good character. The jury found a verdict of not guilty, and the prisoner was discharged.

CENTRAL POLICE COURT.
Wednesday.

Before the Police Magistrate, with Messrs. Gorus, Hughes, Parnell, and Guy.

Twelve persons were fined for drunkenness.

Samuel Barnett, 68, charged with having no lawful means of support, was sentenced to be imprisoned three months.

Joseph Collins was charged with having deserted Adelia, William, and Alice Collins, his children, under seven years of age, leaving them without means of support. Constable Anderson deposed that, last Sunday morning, in consequence of information received, he proceeded to a house in Jesson's-buildings, Alexandria, and there found three children, who gave their names as Adelia Collins, William Collins, and Alice Collins, all under seven years of age; the house was in a filthy state; in one corner of the room was an old mattress and a blanket; there were also a table, a sofa, and a few cooking utensils; not a particle of food of any description was in the house; the elder girl said that she had not seen her father since the Sunday before, when he left them 2s. 3d., the last of which sum she expended on Tuesday, since when they had subsisted on the charity of neighbours; they had had nothing that day; he took the children to the Benevolent Asylum, where they remain, and sub-inspector Rush instituted the prosecution of the father, taking out a warrant for his apprehension; in execution of this warrant he (constable Anderson), last night apprehended the defendant at a public-house at Waterloo; defendant lost his wife some months ago, since which occurrence he has taken to drink, and has neglected his children. In reply to the Bench, defendant said that he was a tanner, but could not obtain employment at his trade and had been compelled to take employment as a labourer, receiving 20s. a week and his board; he was willing to pay 15s. a week for the children. Under these circumstances the Bench made an order for 5s. a week for each child.

William Elkington was charged with having on or about the 26th March last, at Farnham, Stony Creek, being in the service of Richard Thame, embezzled certain moneys to the amount of £100. Defendant was apprehended at Stony Creek, on the 29th April, and handed to the apprehending officer the sum of £111 10s. 6d., in cheques, notes, and coin; and on the 1st May, was remanded from Stony Creek to this Court. Richard Thame deposed that in December last he employed defendant, and told him that he would give him £1 a week, or £2 a week and his board and lodging if he realised satisfactorily; directed him to go to Stony Creek and take possession of goods mentioned, to realise, and transmit proceeds to Sydney; had received no proceeds; the goods were of the value of £375; prisoner had not accounted to him, nor does witness know for how much the goods were sold. By Mr. Carroll: Would not swear that the goods realised more than £112, nor does he know what defendant paid for expenses. Walter Pridham, auctioneer, deposed that in March last defendant gave him authority to sell a store and stock at Farnham belonging to Thame and Condell, and on the 18th effected sales amounting to £179; on the 19th paid him £86 14s. 4d., having collected £100 9s. 4d.; some of the goods were knocked down to defendant, some goods he withdrew from sale, and for others he allowed purchasers time. Committed for trial at the present sitting of the Quarter Sessions.

William Carne, summarily convicted of having stolen a coat, of the value of 10s., the property of J. Osborne, was sentenced to two months' imprisonment.

Elizabeth Cassilla was fined 20s., or in default of payment to be imprisoned seven days, for using obscene language in a public place.

William Ross, alias Byers, alias James, already under committal for larceny, was brought before the Bench on habeas corpus to answer a charge of assault and robbery. Peter M'Grath, of Kent-street, butcher, deposed that between the hours of 7 and 8 in the evening of the 15th May, while proceeding along Kent-street, between Market-street and Druitt-street, he received a blow on the back of the head which knocked him senseless to the ground; he remembered next being conveyed to the Infirmary in a cab, and on the way missed from his trousers pocket a purse, in which he had one £5-note, one sovereign, one half sovereign, and a few shillings in silver; he also lost his hat, which he valued at 12s. 6d.; he did not see the man who struck him, nor any one near. Mary Ann Smith deposed that she was at her mother's door in Kent-street, a little after 7 o'clock in the evening of the 15th, and saw prosecutor and two men; the prisoner is one of the two men; prosecutor seemed to be the worse for drink; the two men went up to the prosecutor, in front of him, and each took hold of a hand and threw him off the pavement into the street upon his back, felt his pockets, and then went away laughing; whether they took anything from his pockets she could not say; prosecutor rose to his feet, calling "police;" witness and another female, seeing that he was bleeding from the back of his head, helped him home, and from his house he was taken to the Infirmary; no one was behind prosecutor to strike him at the time the prisoner and his companions went to him. Prisoner was committed for trial at the Quarter Sessions.

John Leiper was charged with larceny. George Hall deposed that on the evening of the 15th May he missed from his bedroom a watch with a chain attached, which in the morning he had left hanging up; the watch produced in Court is the same. Constable Tindall apprehended the prisoner, and received the watch from Thomas James, who deposed that he believed the prisoner to be the man to whom, on the 15th May, he advanced 12s. 6d. upon the security of the watch. Mrs. James positively identified the prisoner as the person who pawned the watch. It appeared, further, that prisoner lodged in the same house as the prosecutor, had access if he thought proper to his room, and on the 16th left the house. Committed for trial at the next sitting of the Quarter Sessions.

Before Messrs. M'Beath and Dixson.

On the summons paper were ten cases, of which two were dismissed, one was postponed, and three were struck out for want of prosecution. In Simmons v. Gale, a proceeding under the Tenants Act, a seven days' warrant was granted. Louisa Fowler was fined 10s. for assaulting Elizabeth Mills. The inspector of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals prosecuted Edward Palmer for having, on the 20th May, illtreated a horse. Informant deposed that on the 21st he saw, on a vacant piece of land at Elswick, a brown horse, whose near fore leg was broken, and without either food or water; he waited until 8 p.m., when, as there was no one to attend the horse, he, with constable Tippet, shot him. On cross-examination by Mr. Roberts, the witness said he had given instructions to his servant to destroy the horse. William Holborow deposed that the horse was in the state described from Sunday morning until it was killed on Wednesday. For the defence Henry Everett was called, who deposed that he was in defendant's service, and that the groom was drunk on Sunday and Monday, and on Tuesday Mr. Palmer sent him to Mr. Rogers to do whatever was necessary with the horse. The Bench ordered defendant to pay a penalty of 20s., with 7s. costs of Court, and 21s. for complainant's costs. Agnes Jenkins prosecuted James Plowright for having wilfully broken a window sash and twelve panes of glass, and, the offence being proved, the defendant was ordered to pay 21s. damages, 21s. complainant's costs, and 5s. 10d. Court costs.

WATER POLICE COURT.
Wednesday.

Before the Water Police Magistrate, and Messrs. Hunt, Brown, Josephson, and Senior.

Five persons were fined in various amounts for drunkenness. A Frenchman, named Henry Semon, a farmer, for being drunk, was fined 5s., or to be imprisoned till the rising of the Court. Annie Clarke, for using obscene language in Crown-street, was fined 20s., with the alternative of seven days' imprisonment.

On the prosecution of sub-inspector Anderson, John Barrett and Joseph Rose were fined 5s., with 2s. 6d. costs, each for Sunday trading; Charles Murray, 2s. 6d. for drawing a truck on a footway.

Frank Malvin and Michael Murphy were summoned by sub-inspector Johnston, for playing a game to the annoyance of persons—to wit, "pitch and toss"—and fined—Malvin £1, and Murphy 2s. 6d., with costs. On the prosecution of sub-inspector Waters, twelve persons were summoned for allowing cattle to stray on public thoroughfares, and fined in various amounts. For letting off fireworks in a public thoroughfare, John Bottomley was fined 5s. Michael Connor and George Ramage, for riotous conduct, were fined £1 each, or seven days' imprisonment. John Christie, for allowing a vicious dog to be at large and biting a person, was fined £1, or seven days' imprisonment. Ellen Hill, for using obscene language, was fined 10s., or four days' imprisonment. Jacob Schafer, for allowing dice to be used in his licensed house, was fined £1, with 5s. 6d. costs.

John Hughes and Andrew Murphy were charged, on remand, with assaulting David Claydon Cook, of Liverpool Plains, and robbing him of seven £1 notes; a young woman named Emma Brown, was also charged with being concerned in the same. The facts disclosed were of an extraordinary nature, inasmuch as the robbery took place between 9 and 10 o'clock in the morning, in a well frequented thoroughfare in the city. It came out in evidence that on the 21st instant, at 9 o'clock a.m., the female prisoner went up to the prosecutor in King-street, and asked him to "shout" for her. He did so, and was afterwards requested to "shout" for two other women who joined them in the public-house: the two male prisoners soon put in an appearance, and induced the prosecutor to "shout" for them also; the party, consisting of the three prisoners and prosecutor, proceeded along Clarence-street to Church-hill, where, on arriving nearly opposite Wentworth House, the female called the prosecutor aside, on pretence of speaking to him; immediately afterwards the two men pounced upon him, and dragged him to the ground; Hughes knelt upon him and pressed his left arm across prosecutor's throat, while Murphy rifled his pockets; both then ran away, and the woman also disappeared; the prosecutor bled profusely from the mouth; the assault was witnessed by a young woman named Augusta Donohue, who is employed at Wentworth House, Church-hill, from one of the windows, of which she was able to get a good view of all the prisoners. She gave her evidence in a remarkably clear and firm manner, and all the questioning of the prisoners about her identifying them failed altogether to shake her testimony. In fact her straightforward manner drew a remark from the Bench, that every question put by the prisoners to her only made it worse for themselves. The assault was also witnessed by a man named John Ayres. The following evidence was given of the arrest:—Senior-constable Higgins said that a little after daylight on the morning of the Queen's Birthday, he and constable Day arrested the two male prisoners in a hut at the head of Little Mossman's Bay. The capture was effected by Higgins forcing his way through the window of the hut, where also were found two prostitutes. He put the handcuffs on Murphy, upon which Hughes took up a knife; the constable, however, wrenched it out of his hand and handcuffed him to Murphy. They were then brought to Sydney. The female prisoner had previously been captured on the evening of the 21st instant, in King-street. She acknowledged having seen the affair, but said she did not get any of the money. Eventually all the prisoners were committed to take their trial, at the Central Criminal Court, on the 12th of August. The Bench desired that public notice should be drawn to the intrepidity, courage, and discretion shown by senior-constable Higgins and constable Day, in effecting the capture of the male prisoners; and they (the magistrates) thought their meritorious conduct should be especially brought under the notice of the Inspector-General of Police, as it deserved instant recognition in the shape of promotion.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERANNUATION.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—It will be observed by this morning's *Herald* that the Civil Service Superannuation Fund scheme, submitted at a meeting convened for the purpose on Monday evening last, was carried.

The 11th clause of the report of the Provisional Committee states that "The committee abstain from recommending the appropriation of any portion of the proposed fund to the payment of gratuities to widows and children of deceased members, as it is believed that any claim of this kind will not be recognised by the Legislature, even if supported by the general wish of the service."

Well, if the system of pensions was brought into force by the payment of these gratuities, I would not wonder at the committee deciding as they did; but I consider that subscribers to a fund of this sort should reap some benefit, directly or indirectly, whereas under the committee's scheme—in the event of their dying after having served say thirty-four years, and deprived themselves during that period of, say about £200, their families receive nothing.

The rates of contribution to the fund are on the following scale:—

"(b). On all remuneration calculated on an annual rate of £200, and under, 2 per cent.

"(c). On all remuneration calculated on an annual rate of over £600 and not exceeding £800, 3½ per cent."

With reference to these rates it may be remarked that those persons receiving the high salaries are old Civil servants, many of them having, I dare say, served the time required under the provisions of the scheme, and can therefore retire immediately on Parliament passing a bill to meet the matter. Others again have a very short time to serve; so that while they have to pay but a slightly larger percentage than the junior members, they reap the benefit sooner, and actually do not have to pay nearly as much as the two per centites—who have to serve thirty-five years, with the chance of dying in the meantime, and thereby losing all they have paid in. Again, the junior members may never have the chance of receiving as high a salary as they, and consequently will receive a smaller allowance, although they may pay in more to the fund.

I intended to have spoken at the meeting in question on the subject, but abstained from so doing on account of the curt manner in which those who spoke on the matter were treated by the chairman, who was complimented for so doing by the proposer of a vote of thanks to him, who thought that "the thanks of this meeting should be accorded to the chairman for the able manner in which he has this evening stopped all needless discussion."

Certainly it may appear rather cowardly on my part for not striving to amend a proposition that I thought required it, but as the chairman thought fit—after putting an amendment of Mr. Oliver's to the meeting—to declare that it was "condemned unanimously," although several hands were held up in favour of it, I determined to be simply a listener, and rely on Parliament seeing the faults, and rejecting the measure if submitted to them, more especially as I am sure the matter was not properly ventilated at the meeting, many no doubt abstaining from speaking on the same grounds as myself.

Yours obediently,
HAMILTON JACOB.
General Post Office, Sydney, May 29.

Good Investments.—W. Pritchard invites the attention of investors and speculators to his sale by auction this day, in his rooms, 281, George-street, at 11 o'clock, of freehold and leasehold city, suburban, and country properties; also some eligible blocks of land. Full particulars in this day's *Herald*.—Adv.

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SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—May 29.

Bonnie Dundee (s.), 300 tons, Captain Alley, from Richmond River, via the Clarence 25th instant. Passengers—Captain King, Dr. Walker, Mr. Paterson. G. and B. Nicoll, agents.

New England (s.), 400 tons, Captain Mann, from Grafton 27th instant. Passengers—8 in the steerage. C. and N. E. S. N. Co., agents.

Ocean Wave, schooner, 55 tons, Captain Kyle, from Brisbane via Macleay River 28th ultimo, in ballast. Molesworth, agent.

Clarence (s.), 300 tons, Captain Harley, from Rockhampton 25th instant, via Brisbane 27th instant. Passengers—Mrs. Merrett, Miss Hissop, Mrs. Reynolds, Mrs. Holmes, Dr. Warden, Messrs. M'Kenna, Adamson, Hayes, Cantor, Holmes, Stace, M'Leod, and 26 in the steerage. C. and N. E. Co., agents.

Ballina (s.), 300 tons, Captain Bedford, from the Macleay 28th instant. Passengers—Mrs. A. Verge, Mrs. M'Kay, Miss M'Kay, Miss Reardon, Miss White, Messrs. Cree, Doran, and 1 in the steerage. C. and R. R. Co., agents.

John Penn (s.), 198 tons, Captain Holden, from Merimbula 27th instant, via Tathra and Moruya. Passengers—Mrs. Hatton, Mr. and Mrs. Anderson. I. S. N. Co., agents.

DEPARTURES.—May 29.

Ly-ee-Moon (s.), for Melbourne.
Tambaroora (s.), for Launceston, via Bulli.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.—May 30.

Fairy Rock, for Newcastle; Minnie, for Cooktown.

CLEARANCES.—May 29.

Ly-ee-Moon, Capt. James Banks, 991 tons, for Melbourne. Passengers—Mrs. Beaver, Mrs. F. Farley, Mrs. Carden, Mrs. Fallon, Miss Mackenzie, Mrs. Gibbons, Mrs. Vasey, Mrs. E. Solomon, Miss Ham, Mrs. stone, Mrs. Watson, Miss Fletcher, Mrs. Armstrong, Mrs. E. Power, Mrs. Robinson, Lord Ronald Gower, Rev. F. Langham, Messrs. V. Fletcher, E. M'Kenzie, H. Smith, J. Henry, H. Archer, C. Phillips, Henry Russ, James Armstrong, Ah Sing, H. Fletcher, Robinson, Walter Cooper, John Coghill, J. Crouch, R. Carden, P. H. Carne, J. Gibbons, W. G. Borron, Ham, Pearce, F. Pettit, C. Conran, Dawson, Whittingham, James Aitkenhead, M. O. De Viewville, D. Waterson, Howartson, Parsey, Chapman, J. Cashion, Croker, Gunton, Hyams, Tackima, and 102 in the steerage.

Tambaroora (s.), 262 tons, Captain Kirkpatrick, for Launceston, via Bulli. Passengers—Mrs. Easton, Misses Easton (2), Master Easton, Mr. C. Oldaker, and 3 in the steerage.

Jessie Matilda, schooner, 38 tons, Captain Power, for Broad Sound and Port Mackay.

COASTERS INWARDS.—May 29.

Saxonia (s.), Western (s.), Taufahau, Marie, Scotia, and Venture, from Newcastle, with 1625 tons coal; Civility (s.), from Wollongong, with 285 tons coal; Woniora (s.), from Bulli, with 250 tons coal; Josephine and Clara Crawford, from Manning River, with 10,000 feet timber, 32 logs, 200 bags corn, 3000 palings, 14,000 shingles, 10 pigs, 34 hides, 2 casks tallow; Lillian and Agnes, from Port Stephens, with 40,000 feet timber, 26 bags fish; Monarch, from Ballina, with 95,000 feet timber; Emma Matilda, from Hawkesbury, with 400 bushels maize, 1 coop fowls, 3 cases eggs, 600 dozen oranges; Henrietta, from Clyde River, with 14,000 feet timber; Kembla (s.), from Newcastle, with 80 hides, 10 hogsheads wine 10 bundles skins, 75 bags bran, 10 cases biscuits, 20 baskets fish, 8 baskets prawns, 10 sacks bones, and sundries; Morpeth (s.), from the Hunter River, with 120 bales hay, 2 bales old rope, 30 bags bark, 205 bags bran, 60 bags flour, 57 hides, 7 pigs, and 6 baskets fish.

COASTERS OUTWARDS.—May 29.

Saxonia (s.), Western (s.), Taufahau, Marie, Scotia, Venture, for Newcastle; Woniora (s.), for Bulli; Civility (s.), for Wollongong; Emma Matilda, Maid of Australia, for Hawkesbury; Agnes and Lillian, for Port Stephens; Henrietta, for Clyde River; Monarch, for Richmond River; Josephine, for Cape Hawke; Clara Crawford, for Manning River.

IMPORTS.—May 29.

[A special charge is made for consignees' announcements in this column.]

Ocean Wave, from Macleay River: 500 bags maize.

Ex Min-y-don, Harlaw, and Golden Fleece: 82 trunks boots—John Way.

Ex Cusco: 16 trunks boots—John Way.

Ex Thales: 100 boxes gunpowder tea—A. Tange and Co.

EXPORTS.—May 28.

City of Brisbane (s.), for Brisbane: 81 packages wines and spirits, 18 packages tobacco, 25 cases fruit, 35 packages tea, 59 cases cheese, 12 coils 40 lengths 3 bundles pipe, 1 millstone, 1 wheel, 8 casks tallow, 4 cases cigars, 10 bundles wire, 3 bales bags, 91 bags rice, 11 packages oil, 230 cases jam, 18 cases bacon, 14 cases galvanized iron, 1 bale hops, 1 tank malt, 1 case rifles, 12 kegs butter, 716 bags potatoes, 4 bundles baskets, 1 package belting, 1 bundle buckets, 1 bundle washboards, 2 packages crockery, 5 bags seed, 12 casks tar, 1 case hardware, 1 case glue, 2 case tools, 17 packages boots, 36 bags oats, 72 bags oatmeal, 10 cases cordials, 30 bags onions, 1 box jewellery (£200), 2 cases metal, 1 package woollens, 3 bags peas, 1 engine and boiler and fittings, 1 bath, 1 oven, 6 grindstones, 314 bags bran, 5 cases drugs, 96 bags barley, 5 bags pumpkins, 1 box dates, 18 horses, 836 cases fruit, and sundries.

May 29.

Jessie Matilda, schooner, for Broad Sound and Port Mackay: 1 octave sherry, 2 cases coffee, 23 bundles wire, 7 bales woolpacks, 5 cases herrings, 43 cases starch, 4 cases preserved fruits, 2 cases blue, 124 packages oil, 3 boxes candles, 1 cask currants, 11 packages tea, 1 case salt, 4 cases pickles, 2 cases sardines, 4 cases salmon, 1 case biscuits, 30 cases jam, 1 cask crystals, 12 cases galvanized iron, 1 case peel, 2 cases cod-roes, 2 cases bloaters, 1 case anchovies, 2 drums turps, 16 packages paint, 4 kegs shot, 6 kegs nails, 1 case guns, 3 cases matches, 5 cases hatchets, 1 cask zinc, 1 case pans, 2 cases picks, 4 packages hardware, 2 cases raddle, 3 coils rope, 7 bundles buckets, 34 cart-boxes, 10 packages ironmongery, 1 bundle brooms, 1 case bolts, 1 cask horseshoes, 4 bars iron, 1 length chain, 1 package screws, 2 cart-arms, 2 boxes glass, 1 case rivets, 1 case lamp-black, 1 bag peas, 6 cases oil-stores, 3 cases confectionery, 368 bags maize, 200 bags flour, 6 tons coal, 3 bundles baskets, 2 bales 1 case paper, 2 cases chimnies, 2 cases drugs, 3 cases fowls, 124 bundles mats, 1 stove, 41 bundles hoops, 10 packages staves, 1 tin potatoes, 2 casks pitch, 1 case drapery, 1 roll matting, 20 bags cornflour, 969 bricks, 185 bags guano, 1 dogcart, 1100 palings, and sundries.

Tambaroora (s.), for Launceston via Bulli: 5 cases 1 quarter-cask whisky, 1 safe, 6 crates bottles, 1 case stationery, 1 case boots, 14 packages drapery, 25 cases fruit, and sundries; also 120 tons coal, to be shipped at Bulli.

Custom House.—Entered outwards, May 29th: Egmont (s.), 456 tons, Captain Hill, for Cooktown, Townsville, Bowen, and Brisbane; Cheviot (s.), 764 tons, Captain Clark, for Melbourne via Newcastle.

The Bonnie Dundee (s.), from the Richmond River, via the Clarence, left the Richmond at 3 p.m. May 25th, entered the Clarence at 7 a.m. 26th, crossed out 3 p.m. 27th, and entered Sydney Heads at 5 p.m. 29th. Experienced strong southerly winds to Smoky Cape, and from thence to Sydney light westerly and fine weather. She brings us the following cargo:—1500 bags maize, 20 casks molasses, 6 coops fowls, 12 cases eggs, 8000 feet cedar boards, 200 hides, 4 casks tallow, and sundries.

The Nineveh, Captain Samson, from London to Sydney, the 29th April, has on board the following passengers:—Rev. R. Taylor, Miss Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Cooper and child.

The ship British Commerce, from Mauritius to Sydney, passed Cape Otway at 10.30 a.m., yesterday, twenty-four days out.

The New England (s.) left Grafton at 8 a.m. on the 27th instant, crossed the bar at 5 p.m. same day, and arrived in Sydney at 5.30 a.m. on the 29th, having experienced strong southerly breezes and head sea and thick, squally weather to south of Smoky Cape, and moderate S.W. breezes the remainder, with fine weather. Cargo: 1677 bags maize, 5 cases eggs, 2 coops fowls, 104 hides, 7 bales sheepskins, 327 bags tin ore, 57 bundles bananas, 9 pigs, 1 case wax, 3 kegs paint, 1 case bananas, 2 bags, and 30 packages sundries.

The Ballina (s.), from the Macleay River, brings up the following cargo: 1700 bags maize, 90 pigs, 10 cases eggs, 6 coops fowls, 15 hides, and sundries.

The John Penn (s.) brings up the following cargo: 34 kegs butter, 45 bags bark, 400 cases maizena, 6 hides, 992 cheeses, 1 hogshead tallow, and sundries, and 87 bags bark from Wollongong.

The Clarence (s.) left Rockhampton at 4.30 a.m. on the 25th, and arrived at Brisbane at 7.30 p.m. on 26th. Experienced light variable airs and fine weather throughout the passage. Left Brisbane at 3.30 p.m. on 27th instant; rounded Cape Moreton at 8.30 p.m.; and arrived at Sydney at 10 p.m. Experienced strong southerly winds and high sea to Richmond Heads; from thence to port variable airs and fine weather. Passed the City of Brisbane off Cape Hawke, bound north.

During the passage from London to this port of the ship Fernglen, and when in latitude 4° S., longitude 32° W., on January 1, one of the passengers enclosed a letter in a bottle, with a request written in French, English, German, and Spanish, that the finder would post the letter to its destination. Strange to say it was delivered by some fishermen (who found it off the Brazilian coast of Rio Grande de Norte) to Messrs. Braga, Son, and Co., of No. 25, Rue de Marques d'Olinda, at Pernambuco, and by them forwarded home by the R. M. S. Tagus on January 2?. It reached its address, Bournemouth, Hants, on the 15th of February, and the writer received an acknowledgment by the San Francisco mail, which arrived here on the 14th instant.—*New Zealand Herald.*

Record of Wrecks.—The number of wrecks reported at Lloyd's for the present year, to date of April 6, amounted to 410.

MELBOURNE.

ARRIVALS.

May 25.—Byron, from Newcastle.
May 26.—Macedon (s.), from Sydney; Albert the Good, Olivia Davis, from Newcastle.

DEPARTURE.

May 26.—Loch Lomond, for Calcutta.

VESSELS IN HARBOUR.

(Note.—This list does not include coasters. The names at the end of the line denote the agents to the vessels.)

STEAMSHIPS.

Bowen (s.), Miller, Quarantine—Bright, Brothers, and Co.
Chimborazo, Brown, Mort's Dock—Gilchrist, Watt, and Co.
Havilah, Bellair, Johnston's Bay—Montefiore and Montefiore.
Thales, Peacock, Campbell's Wharf—A. S. N. Co.
Zealandia, Chevalier, Fitzroy Dock—Gilchrist, Watt, and Co.

SHIPS.

Abergeldie, Miller, Dibbs's Wf.—Dangar, Gedye, and Co.
Alexander Duthie, Murray, Circular Wf.—Gilchrist, Watt, and Co.
Cedric the Saxon, Burgess, stream—Young and Lark.
Christiana Thompson, Murray, Smith's Wf.—Montefiore, Joseph, and Co.
Dharwar, Freebody, Cosmopolitan Wf.—Mason, Brothers.
Erato, Dice, Dibbs's Wf.—Dangar, Gedye, and Co.
Golden Fleece, Brown, Circular Wf.—Cowlishaw, Brothers.
Gryfe, Roberts, Neutral Bay—A. A. Smith.
Harlaw, Stevens, Smith's Wf.—Montefiore, Joseph, and Co.
Juno, Nelson, Towns's Wf.—Young and Lark.
Kosciusko, Smith, Circular Wf.—Montefiore, Joseph, and Co.
Locksley Hall, Barnes, Dibbs's Wf.—Bright, Brothers, and Co.
Min-y-don, Leslie, Parbury's Wf.—Dangar, Gedye, and Co.
Northam, Cotter, Circular Wf.—J. Fraser and Co.

BARQUES.

Ascalon, Bain, Moore's Wf.—Montefiore, Joseph, and Co.
C. J., Goddard, Alger's Wf.—Montefiore, Joseph, and Co.
Gazelle, Parry, Pyrmont—Captain.
Haddington, Horton, Dibbs's Wf.—Young and Lark.
Havelock, M'Call, Pyrmont—Captain.
Mary Mildred, Brown, Johnston's Bay—Montefiore and Montefiore.
Metaris, Lyons, Grafton Wf.—Captain.
Oakhill, Sullivan, Johnston's Bay—Lorimer, Rome, and Co.
Onward, Chamberlain, Lavender Bay—Williams.
Planter, Robinson, Market Wf.—Captain.
Ravenswood, Brocklebank, Smith's Wf.—Lorimer, Rome, and Co.
Sara Dreyfus, Potts, Alger's Wf.—Lorimer, Rome, and Co.
Sea Shell, Johnson, Circular Wf.—Captain.

BRIGS.

Amy, Barnard, Johnston's Bay—J. Cox.
Syren, Sainty, Patent Slip Wf.—W. Laidley and Co.

SCHOONERS.

Ariel, Brodie, Dibbs's Wf.—Captain.
Aurora, ——, stream—Captain.
Borough Belle, Dunn, off Pyrmont—C. B. Bond.
Loch Lee, Stephenson, Grafton Wf.—Meyerfeld and Co.
Noumea, Scaplehorn, Grafton Wf.—Meyerfeld and Co.
Deborgha, Cook, Smith's Wf.—M'Donald, Smith, and Co.
Ocean Wave, Kyle, stream—Captain.
Pomare, Chase, Circular Wf.—Captain.

[By Electric Telegraph.]

Newcastle.—Arrivals: May 28, Natal Queen, from Sydney; Victoria, from Lyttelton; May 29, Pakeha, brig, from Kaipara, with timber; Queensland, barque, returned to port. Departures: May 29, Argo, barque, for Java, 928 tons coal; Vivid, barque, for Melbourne, 500 tons coal; Maria, barque, for Lyttelton, 720 tons coal. Coasters Inwards: Maitland (s.), Kembla (s.), Collaroy (s.), from Sydney; Sea Bird, from Lake Macquarie. Outwards: Jane, from Lake Macquarie; Coonanbara (s.), and Kembla (s.), for Sydney.

Brisbane.—Arrival: May 28, Edina (s.), from Sydney.

Melbourne.—Arrivals: May 28, Sea Nymph, Omeo (s.), from Newcastle. May 29, Flodden, from Formosa; Iraza, from Mauritius.

SYDNEY HEADS.

DATE.	TIME.	WINDS.	REMARKS.
May 29.	9.30 a.m.	W.	Fine.
	Noon	W.	Ditto.
	5 p.m.	N.N.E.	Ditto.

High water at Fort Denison, May 30—6.41 a.m.; 7.5 p.m.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

WEDNESDAY EVENING.

The Customs' duties received to-day were as follows:—

	£	s.	d.
Spirits	3202	18	5
Wine (still)	168	6	0
—— (sparkling)	3	2	0
Tobacco and snuff	86	9	0
—— unmanufactured	143	1	0
Cigars	140	4	9
Tea	57	19	9
Coffee and chicory	51	0	6
Sugar, refined	2	18	2
—— unrefined	903	10	9
Molasses	1	1	1
Rice	17	0	1
Dried Fruits	7	3	0
Hops	0	1	0
Specific duty	148	7	7
Total	£3967	5	1

There was no improvement in the prices realised in the Stock and Share market to-day. Bank shares were quiet. City sold at 10½. Commercial wanted at 97½. Joint Stock offered at 13¼, buyers at 2s. 6d. less. Mercantile fully paid brought 6¾; new issue had buyers at 1½, sellers at 2. National of Queensland were done at 6½ for old, and wanted; £3 7s. paid for new. New South Wales wanted at 50½, held for 50¾. Union offered at 61. The only sales of insurance were Mercantile at 2s. 3d.; Pacific had buyers at 31s., sellers at 32s.; New South Wales wanted at 35s., held for 37s.; Sydney Marine offered at 21s. 3d., and United at 27s. 6d. Gaslight shares unaltered, 6½ paid for new issue. Coal shares firm. Wallsend changed hands at 17½. Great Cobar Copper fell to 9s. 6d. sales, and were subsequently offered at 10s.

In the Import markets there was a trifle more inquiry. Breadstuffs dull of sale, and the tone of prices more favourable to buyers. There was an improved feeling in leading brands of bulk ale, and values have hardened. Bottled is scarce, and in request. A parcel of Tennent's was sold, to arrive, on terms reserved, and 50 cases Guinness's Bulldog stout, on the spot, at 9s. Brandies firm; flasks very scarce, and salable at full rates. Fencing wire is in more demand with sales at up to £16 10s. A line of 50 tons pig iron realised 87s. 6d., to arrive. Galvanized iron steady at last quotations. Coffee quiet at 13d. to 13½d. for plantation. In fish we heard of 1-lb. salmon changing hands at 8s.; dried ling in limited request at about 5½d. Hops have a slow sale 1s. 3d. to 1s. 4d. for best samples of new Tasmanian and English.

There was a slight inquiry for tea, but nothing worth mentioning was done. Messrs. L. E. Threlkeld and Co. sold at their rooms, this morning, the entire cargo of Mauritius sugars, ex Osburgha, consisting of 16,398 pockets and 814 large mats, at the following prices:—Good grainy yellows to counters, from £33 12s. 6d. to £35 2s. 6d.; good yellows, £35 10s. to £36 17s. 6d.; fine to finest whites, £37 to £38 2s. 6d. Also Eleme raisins, 5½d.; New Zealand butter, 9d.; shipment 5-medal candles, with all faults, 8½d.; Barry's chicory, with all faults, 5½d. They will hold a sale of metals, &c. to-morrow.

Wool.—The Australian Mortgage, Land, and Finance Company have received the following telegram from Helmuth Schwartze and Co., dated London, 27th May:—"Since our last telegram prices for crossbreds are firmer; prices for Port Phillip and Sydney greasy and scoured are equal to closing of last series. Prices for Adelaide and New Zealand greasy show an average decline of ½d. per lb. compared with the closing rates of last series. There is an increase in the animation, but prices for all superior classes are decidedly lower."

At the sales of wool held to-day by Messrs. Mort and Co., and Mr. Bridge, the offerings were of too unimportant a character to test the effect of late news from England. So far as could be observed the market was unchanged, and full prices were realised For a large supply of sheepskins biddings were very animated, and all offered were quitted readily at from 2½d. to 7d. per lb.; washed ditto, 7½d.; pelts, 1½d. Scoured wool brought from 9d. to 17½d.; greasy, 4d. to 11d.; fleece, 15½d.

Messrs. Armour and Co., of Brisbane, have anticipated any action on the part of their creditors by sequestrating their estate. The liabilities are put down at £18,000, assets £8000. In the estate of Messrs. Kennedy, De Fraine, and Co., also of that city, an assignment has been made, and it is expected that it will realise nearly the full amount of the liabilities.

LATEST COMMERCIAL TELEGRAMS.

[FROM OUR LONDON CORRESPONDENT.]

LONDON, May 28.

The Queensland loan has proved a great success. Two and a half millions were subscribed. The number of tenders lodged was 283. The average price tendered was 92½.

Consols are quoted at 97⅞.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAM.]

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

Wheat, 5s. 4d. to 5s. 7½d. Flour is difficult to quit, and is quoted at from £11 7s. 6d. to £11 10s.

MAILS

Will close at the General Post Office as follows:—

For Melbourne.—Overland, daily, at 5 p.m.
For Adelaide.—Overland, via Melbourne, daily, at 5 p.m.
For Hobart Town and Launceston.—Overland to Melbourne, and thence per steamer, daily, at 5 p.m.
For Port Macquarie.—By the Ballina (s.), this day, at 3 p.m.
For Richmond River.—By the Bonnie Dundee (s.), this day, at 3 p.m.
For Gosford.—By the Pelican (s.), this day, at 3.30 p.m.
For Grafton.—By the New England (s.), this day, at 8 p.m.
For Ulladulla and Clyde.—By the Hunter (s.), on Friday, at 8.15 a.m.
For Melbourne, Adelaide, Hobart Town, and Launceston.—By Cheviot (s.), on Friday, at 1 p.m.
For Brisbane and all the Northern Ports.—By the Clarence (s.), on Friday, at 3 p.m.
For Rockhampton.—By the Boomerang (s.), on Friday, at 3.30 p.m.

Armidale.—A telegram received from Armidale yesterday states:—"Mr. W. C. Proctor, mayor, was enthusiastically welcomed back to Armidale last evening by a large concourse of people." Mr. Proctor, it will be recollected, was the defendant in a breach of promise case heard recently at the Supreme Court.

Railway Accident at Orange.—An accident occurred to the mail train which arrived at the Orange station on Tuesday morning, which, although productive of much damage to rolling stock, was fortunately unattended by any serious injury to passengers. The casualty (says the *Western Advocate*) arose from some unexplained derangement of the top points. The shunter in charge states that during the night he examined and found the points correct, and immediately before the arrival of the train he sent an employee to look at them, who reported all correct. How then the accident occurred must be the result of investigation, for the train instead of keeping on the main line, shunted off on No. 2 road and ran into the passenger carriages which occupy that line, in front of the station. The passengers experienced a considerable shaking, but the violence of the shock is mainly discernible in the damage done to engine and carriages. The fore-part of the former is almost a wreck, and broken buffers and windows in the carriages further testify to the force of the collision. As misfortunes seldom come singly, so in this case, when endeavouring to get the train on to the proper line, it was unobserved that the points had been locked, and the consequence was two of the carriages ran off the line. In consequence, passengers by the 7.45 a.m. passenger train had to enter above the point amidst some confusion. These are, we believe, the main facts of the case, upon which we may have a few remarks to make at a future time, but which it would be unfair to do at this early stage, and when other particulars may be elicited. We understand that Mr. Irwin, of the Burton brewery, who was in the train at the time of the collision, has been somewhat shaken, and received an injury to one of his legs, though it is not, we believe, apprehended that it is very serious.

SPECIAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

BURWOOD. BURWOOD.
LAND AUCTION SALE, at 3 o'clock, On the Ground, on SATURDAY, 1st June, by HARDIE and GORMAN.
A four-horse omnibus will leave the Rooms, 175, Pitt-street, at 2 o'clock, on day of sale.

THE NEW SUBURBAN TOWNSHIP, AUBURN.—First Sale, on the ground, NEXT SATURDAY, at 3 o'clock. Free tickets. Lithographs at the Rooms, 154, Pitt-street. MILLS and PILE, Auctioneers.

GOVERNMENT DEBENTURES FOR SALE BY AUCTION, by MILLS and PILE, at their Rooms, 154, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY next, at 11.30, £8410 5 per cents, long currency.

JEWELLERY and Presentation Articles, to be sold THIS DAY. GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON.

THE PARTITION OF TURKEY. The manner in which Russia proposes to annihilate Turkey by THE TREATY OF SAN STEPHANO, will be effectively illustrated with next Saturday's SYDNEY MAIL, by the issue of a special lithographed Supplement, viz, A COLOURED MAP, based upon a sketch-map laid by H. M. Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs before THE BRITISH PARLIAMENT. Explanatory letter-press will be published in the same issue.

GOODLET AND SMITH, TIMBER AND GALVANIZED Iron Merchants, 483, George-street.

MR. GUSTAVUS GABRIEL, DENTIST, CONSULTS DAILY, 6, Carlton-terrace, Wynyard-square. Caution—Not connected with any other person.

MR. JOHN SPENCER, 8, WYNYARD-SQUARE, received the highest award in the Section for Mechanical Dentistry at New South Wales Agricultural Exhibition for 1878. Judges' memo.: "First prize for the greatest excellence of workmanship and material."

DERWENT AND TAMAR ASSURANCE CO.: OFFICES 71, Pitt-street. Marine Insurance effected at lowest current rates. A. L. PARK, Agent.

LIVERPOOL AND LONDON AND GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY.—This Company, having increased their working limits, are prepared to grant insurance upon any approved risk against fire, to the extent of £10,000. A. STANGER LEATHES, Resident Secretary, 100, Pitt-street, Sydney. April 1.

THE ECHO, AN EVENING NEWSPAPER, PRICE ONE PENNY. THE ECHO contains all the Latest News of the Day, Police, Law, and Insolvency Courts, Intercolonial and Foreign late Telegrams on all topics of public interest. THE ECHO, having now attained an extensive circulation, offers great inducements to the advertising public. ADVERTISEMENTS received daily, for the evening's publication up to 1 p.m. Office, corner of Pitt and Hunter streets.

BLACK, NEWFOUNDLAND COD, NEATSFOOT, TALLOW and Lubricating Oils; Antifriction Grease. EADY and SON.

LEA AND PERRINS' SAUCE.—IN CONSEQUENCE OF spurious imitations of Worcestershire Sauce, which are calculated to deceive the public, Lea and Perrins have adopted a new label bearing their signature, Lea and Perrins, which is placed on every bottle of Worcestershire Sauce, and without which none is genuine. Ask for Lea and Perrins' Sauce, and see name on wrapper, label, bottle, and stopper. Wholesale and for export by the proprietors, Worcester; Crosse and Blackwell, London, &c., and by grocers and oilmen throughout the world. To be had of Messrs. MONTEFIORE, JOSEPH, and CO., Sydney, New South Wales.

THERE IS NO ART JOURNAL PUBLISHED IN THE AUSTRALIAN COLONIES. To make up for the absence of such a journal, great attention is paid to the pictorial department of the SYDNEY MAIL. The Illustrations being of a local character, or selected by the London agent. Articles on Art in its various branches are included in this department of the SYDNEY MAIL. Subscription: 6s 6d per quarter. Office—Hunter-street, Sydney.

LEDIARD'S ZULU WATER.—THE MOST EXQUISITE Perfume for the bath, toilet, and the nursery. To be had of all chemists. BARRON, MOXHAM, and CO., sole Agents for the Australian Colonies and New Zealand.

VAN BRUNT AROMATIC SCHIEDAM SCHNAPPS (FAST superseding all others in the U. S.), on sale in parcels to dealers, storekeepers, and the trade. BARRON, MOXHAM, and CO., sole Agents. Office and Stores, York-st., Wynyard-square.

WHISKY, Port, and Sherry; J. R. Tennent's, and Ind Coope's Bottled Ales; Ration Sugars, Corn Flour, Candles, Fencing Wire, Oil Cake, Galvanized Iron, Raisins, Starch, Californian Tinned Salmon, Seaming Twine, Steel Hoops, Woolpacks, Cornsacks, Floorcloth, A. and B. quality Champagne, Bar and Bundle Iron. GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO.

IN THE HOMES IN TOWN AND IN THE COUNTRY, evening reading is a delightful pastime as well as instructive. To keep families supplied with such amusement and instruction, the proprietors of the SYDNEY MAIL have made such arrangements that works by the best authors are secured in London for publication in this journal, anticipating by several months the arrival of magazines and periodicals. Thus Captain Burnaby's work "On Horseback through Asia Minor," is running through the SYDNEY MAIL. Subscription, 6s. 6d. per quarter. Office, Hunter-street.

THE WONDER OF THE AGE.—JOSEPHSON'S AUSTRALIAN OINTMENT is now to be found in every household. Its curative powers for old wounds, cuts, and bruises, &c., surpass all preparations of its kind. Try it. Price 1s. pot.

KNICKERBOCKER SCHNAPPS ON SALE, IN PARCELS, to dealers, storekeepers, and the trade. HOFFNUNG and CO., 159 and 161, Pitt-street.

SAUCES IN QUARTS, PINTS, AND HALF-PINTS; SUIT hotels, clubs, &c. A. L. LACKERSTEEN, 6, Macquarie-pl.

S. WHIDDON HAS JUST OPENED A SPLENDID SHIPMENT of gent.'s sewn Boots and Shoes. 139, Oxford-st.

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TO CORRESPONDENTS.

Attention to the following rules will save the writers of correspondence a good deal of trouble. We cannot undertake to return rejected communications. No notice can be taken of anonymous communications. Whatever is intended for insertion in this journal must be authenticated by the name and address of the writer, not necessarily for publication but as a guarantee of good faith.

Letters and other communications intended for insertion in the news column should be addressed to The Editor.

It is requested that all business communications, including advertisements, orders for the Herald, and remittances, be addressed to John Fairfax and Sons.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

We beg to inform our advertising friends that, to secure insertion and proper classification in Saturday's paper, it is necessary that their advertisements should reach this office not later than 9 o'clock Friday night.

The Sydney Morning Herald.

THURSDAY, MAY 30, 1878.

A perusal of the Land Bill does not seem to furnish any strong reason for postponing its consideration until a new Electoral Bill has come into force. There is nothing in the measure of so sweeping a character, and there are no changes proposed so fundamental as to make the present House an unsuitable one for dealing with it; and we see no reason why it should not go into a discussion of the questions raised, unrestrained by any punctilios as to its own competency to deal with such matters. It will be desirable to have a good Electoral Bill passed as quickly as may be, so that it may come into operation in case circumstances should render a prompt dissolution desirable. But, so far as this Land Bill itself is concerned there is no more urgent necessity to have a new House to deal with it than there was to have a new House to deal with the Amending Land Bill that Mr. Garrett passed.

In saying this we imply no accusation against the Government for not having been more trenchant in their proposed reforms. On the contrary, we have always held that a reform bill of any kind should deal with existing evils in the light of experience, and up to the limits of admitted necessity or expediency, and that it is a dangerous thing to be constantly starting new theories and practising experiments on a large scale on the body politic. It was one of the rational objections to the land policy of 1861 that it established an unnecessarily violent change, and departed too widely from the existing system. A particular evil wanted a remedy. Those who were desirous of acquiring small freehold farms were unduly hindered. This evil might have been met, if not by an improved Administration—a cure which was never attempted—at least by a very slight amount of legislation. It was not necessary to throw the whole colony open to indiscriminate free selection in order that a very limited number of persons might acquire freehold farms. The remedy was altogether in excess of the necessity, and the consequence is, as events have shown, that while the object of the bill has been answered in facilitating the acquisition of small freeholds, the sum-total of its results has been quite alien to this intention, and that for one selection that was of the sort desired, there have been nine of a sort which was not desired.

If, in 1861, it had ever been proposed that the system of free selection before survey should be introduced in order that the pastoral tenants might have additional facilities for acquiring choice spots on their runs, or for checkmating bona-fide settlers, or that they should be forced into the premature acquisition of land they did not immediately want, or that a class of intermediate land speculators might be called into existence who should make a livelihood by levying black-mail, everybody would have scouted the idea of legislating for such ends. There was then no person and no party who wanted to bring about such results. To have expounded such a policy would have ensured its instant condemnation from all quarters. The object in view was simply to enable the bona-fide yeoman to help himself to a farm of from forty to three hundred and twenty acres, to which he could attach himself as his home, and on which he might rear a prosperous family. After fifteen years, we can now contrast the intentions of the legislators with the result of their legislation, and we have the opportunity of learning afresh the lesson which it is so hard for enthusiasts to lay to heart, namely, that in proposing any remedy for social or political abuses, we should carefully inquire not merely whether the remedy will cure the disease, but what else it will do that was neither intended nor desired. Free selection before survey has undoubtedly enabled small purchasers, who were baulked in the auction room, to choose their farms for themselves, and get them without delay and without competition. But what else has it done that was not only outside that intention, but which has, on the whole, been in antagonism to that intention? Taking the gross results of that system, has it on the whole most played the game of the squatter or the game of the small freeholder? And has it played the game of the State—the game which statesmen ought to have played—the game which, in the interests of the people, should have been played? Has the alienation of our land been in proportion to settlement, in proportion to population, and in proportion to public and private finances? Or has the plan of protecting one class of the community brought about unhealthy and artificial results? When we see the enormous quantity of capital which has been sunk in the purchase of land in large blocks—when we see how the eyes of the country have been picked out, and paid for to a large extent at less than the market price—when we see to what an extent so-called yeomanry selections have passed to pastoral occupiers—when we see what limited agricultural results have followed the attempt to force small holdings, and how large a number of Crown debtors have been created, and what endless intricacies, quarrels, and litigations there have been about land claims, we are forced to recognise that the unintended results of the policy of 1861 are immensely in excess of its intended results.

Yet, admitting that it by no means follows that the true cure is another revolution in our land laws, one great error is not to be compensated by another equally great. If one law was passed in a "gust of passion," we shall not mend matters by passing another in a gust of repentance. The true policy is to take stock of our mistakes and of their consequences, and to apply remedies in a moderate, tentative style in a way indicated by experience. It is likely enough that this cannot all be done by one measure or in one session. It is a delusion to suppose that we can neutralise, by a few strokes of the pen, evils that have grown up in the course of fifteen years. We have now a very complicated system to deal with, and we must recognise the fact. If we had to begin all over again, and if with the light of our present experience we were asked to establish the existing system, the intellect and the conscience of the people would be against it. But immense vested interests have now grown up, and those interests cross and recross each other at every turn. We cannot apply any violent and sudden remedy to such a state of things without running the risk of doing as much harm as good, and all we can do is to move steadily towards the establishment of a better system. The measure of the Government must be judged in this light, and we must ask whether it fairly recognises existing evils, and whether the changes it proposes will, without any undue disturbance of existing rights and engagements, lead us out into a healthier condition.

The recent Conference in Melbourne, though convened for the purpose of dealing with the cable question, did not break up without considering and passing resolutions upon some other matters of general interest. There was one question, however, of very great importance to the whole of these colonies, which the Conference did not take up, because its members did not feel themselves prepared to grapple with it; and that was the question whether the importation of stock from Great Britain and other places beyond the seas should or should not still be prohibited. Mr. Burns intimated that he would have moved a resolution upon the question had the other delegates been ready to give it their formal consideration; but, under the circumstances, he simply announced that it was the intention of the Government of New South Wales not to renew the prohibitory proclamation when the term for which it was in force expired on the 30th of June next. The very fact that the Postmaster-General of this colony, appearing as a delegate at an interconial conference, had serious thoughts of endeavouring to procure an expression of opinion upon this question from the Conference, was an admission that it is a matter as to which concerted action is desirable. If Mr. Burns went there for the purpose of announcing a foregone conclusion on the part of New South Wales, it is hard to see what object was to be served by proposing a resolution which might have been rejected by the Conference. On the other hand, if any good end was to be gained by taking the opinion of the Conference, it would surely have been better for the New South Wales Government to refrain from coming to a decision and tying its own hands before ascertaining the views of all the other colonies.

The Agricultural Society of New South Wales has pronounced against the prohibitory policy, and so, it appears, has the National Industrial and Agricultural Association of Queensland, though the resolution in the latter case was carried by a small majority only, at a largely attended meeting, whilst in the former case opinion is very far from being unanimous. In Victoria, however, thus far, the balance of feeling is on the other side. At a well-attended meeting of the National Agricultural Society, held in Melbourne on the 21st instant, the following resolution was passed, with only two dissentients:—"That the National Agricultural Society of Victoria is of opinion that the withdrawal of the Prohibition Act for the Importation of Stock would at the present time be one of the most suicidal acts the stockowners of this colony could adopt, as should the dreaded disease make its appearance in this colony, and get a footing in the flocks and herds therein, absolute and universal ruin must follow to every stockowner, not only in this colony but throughout the whole of the Australian colonies. The prohibition should therefore be continued." As the resolution indicates, this question is one of general interest; and on that ground alone it would be well if the settlement of it were made a matter not of separate action but of general understanding and agreement. But it should not be forgotten that there are other grounds for treating it in that manner. The prohibitory policy was adopted in all the colonies by common consent. The subject was discussed in intercolonial conference, and considered in all its bearings; and the subsequent issue of prohibitory proclamations by the Governments represented at the Conference was the result. Now, although the agreement then made was not perpetually binding upon all concerned, it is only reasonable to expect that there should be some sort of consultation between the parties before the policy which that agreement brought into force is abandoned by any of them. The effectiveness of the prohibitory policy, if it is to be made effective, depends almost wholly upon the active co-operation of all the colonies in carrying it out. The difficulty of preventing all intercourse and movement of live stock across the inland borders is so great that the introduction of infection into the herds or flocks of one colony would almost certainly involve the spread of infection to the whole group. It is a far easier matter to watch the ports, and prevent its introduction from beyond the seas. But it is only by the adoption of a common policy that the whole of the coast line can be guarded; and it would give comparatively little security if three out of the four colonies of the Continent prohibited importation, whilst the fourth permitted it, and so created a chance for the introduction of disease into its neighbour's territory by the back door.

If the whole question were dispassionately discussed by representatives of the four colonies, and the majority agreed upon the removal of the prohibition, there would be no room for legitimate complaint. One member of the group could hardly claim the right to overrule the wishes of the others. But for that very reason the prohibition ought not to be removed by any one colony without a consultation with the others, because the action of one colony, in throwing its portion of the Australian coast open, would practically govern and overrule the policy of the whole group. If there be any meaning in the agreement made some years ago it is this, that all the colonies have a common interest in the exclusion of stock diseases, and that for the protection of that interest the coast line of each colony should be regarded and dealt with upon one and the same principle as a part of the common Australian coast. The colonies all agreed that the coast should be closed to stock. If they had all agreed to keep it open, a change of policy on the part of any one would not have injured, or even affected, the others; but, as the agreement was the other way, it is clear that the action of any one colony, in departing from it, tears the agreement, and the policy contained in it, to tatters. Such a step as this, however, should not be taken lightly, if we desire to promote a friendly understanding and the development of federal action amongst the colonies.

Although the prohibitory policy is most likely to be made effective if it be carried out along the whole line of the Australian coast, it does not follow that any colony which has faith in it would be obliged absolutely to abandon it, if one or more of the other colonies chose to do so without asking its assent. So long as all are agreed to prohibit importation, the movements of stock between the colonies may be allowed to be free; and this freedom is one of the advantages to be weighed against the disadvantages connected with the closing of the ports. But if one colony throws the agreement over by opening its ports, another, believing in prohibition as the only safeguard, may erect a barrier on its inland border as well as upon its coast, and, so far as its own boundaries are concerned, bring this freedom of intercourse to an end. It will be remembered that when the policy of prohibiting importation was first introduced amongst the colonies of the Continent, New Zealand declined to adopt it, and there was for a time a doubt whether Victorian stock would not be excluded from New South Wales because the Victorian Government had not prohibited the importation of stock from New Zealand. It is not too much to apprehend that if, as Mr. Burns announced, our Government should allow the prohibition to lapse at the end of June, we may find the Victorian Government turning the tables upon us, and protecting its own territory by either prohibiting the introduction of New South Wales stock borderwise or coastwise, or insisting upon a rigorous system of quarantine which would be almost as destructive to traffic. The Victorian Government might say to ours:—"If you choose to abandon the ground of common interests and to decide the question for yourselves only, we shall be compelled to do likewise, and to protect our interests to the best of our ability in our own way."

Whether a policy of absolute prohibition is the only trustworthy precaution is a technical question upon which the doctors differ, and we do not pretend to decide. Some, who have maintained that a careful system of quarantine would be sufficient, have pointed out that the policy of exclusion at present in force leaves room for the introduction of disease. If that be true, however, it is not an argument in favour of quarantine, or against adherence to the prohibitory principle; it only shows that the prohibitory principle has not been thoroughly carried out. What is suggested by the circumstances is a more stringent application of the principle rather than the resort to a system which is essentially less radical in its character. The question then is not whether the policy of absolute exclusion has been carried out, but whether it can be. And if it can be, the next consideration is whether, in view of the great interests at stake, it is wise to trust to any less thorough-going measures. It is said that the colonies are not yet in a position to dispense with the introduction of fresh blood from Europe; but there are men as competent to form an opinion as those who hold this view, who tell us that it is mistaken. Suppose, for argument's sake, that it may still be desirable for a few years to come to look to the English studs for the means of improving the character of our cattle, it will hardly be denied that it is still more desirable to secure, if we can, the very vitality of the pastoral interest against destruction if it be imperilled. When our flocks and herds were dying off wholesale during the late drought it was not a question of breed but one of bare existence; and if rinderpest or, probably, still worse, foot-and-mouth disease, established itself in the colony, the very foundations of pastoral enterprise would be shaken. At present the subject presents itself to different classes under different aspects. Importers of stud-stock dislike a policy which interferes with their business, and accuse the colonial breeders of stud-stock, who uphold it, with being actuated by self-interest. The latter have an obvious reply and counter-charge. The question, however, is not for importers or breeders of stud-stock only to decide. It is a question that affects the stability of the whole pastoral interest, and one therefore that involves the welfare of the whole community.

Our Cable News.—The death of the great English ex-Minister and statesman, Earl Russel, whose name for half a century past has been familiar as a household word to all Englishmen, was not an altogether unexpected event. As previous telegrams indicated, he has been ailing for some months. We have only time and space to refer in a hasty manner to one or two of the leading incidents of his life, which may serve to recall to mind the many useful acts, and public character of "Lord John Russell," as he has been popularly called. He was born in August, 1792, and had therefore nearly reached his 86th yea He was first returned to the House of Commons, as representative of Tavistock, in 1813. He had not been long in the House when he took a high place amongst the Parliamentary orators of the day. He is well known as having been a strenuous advocate of the repeal of the Test and Corporation Acts, Roman Catholic Emancipation, and other measures of civil and religious liberty. He was very successful in his efforts to amend the criminal law; and it was to his exertions chiefly that capital punishment was finally removed from forgery and all offences except seven. It was during the time he was in office, and through his instrumentality in a great measure, that the loyalty of the Canadas was secured. In 1845 he was successful in carrying a measure through Parliament, for a repeal of the corn laws. In promoting the education of the people he always occupied a foremost place; and the people of Great Britain and her dependencies owe much to his exertions in that cause. As a Parliamentary reformer, he had scarcely a compeer. Year after year he introduced a measure giving Jews the right to sit in Parliament, and he at length accomplished his object. He was a fearless debater, and a great authority upon constitutional questions and historical precedents. With regard to the other part of our cable news, that relating to the Eastern Question, it would appear from what Count Andrassy says that Austria is not quite so sanguine as the English Press as to the peaceful results of the Congress. It is evident that it will not be all plain sailing with the representatives.

The Overland Line.—We have this morning to make the usual announcement respecting the overland line. It has, however, this time, broken in a fresh place, somewhere beyond Eyre's sand patch.

Illness of Mr. S. Bennett.—The public will learn with regret that Mr. Samuel Bennett, proprietor of the *Evening News* and of the *Town and Country Journal*, is seriously unwell. The cause of his illness has arisen from a very trifling incident. It appears that about three weeks ago he inflicted a slight wound on his left hand with a hammer he was using. The injury was then considered of so local a nature that little heed was paid to it for some time. Eventually, however, the hand became so painful and inflamed, that, on the suggestion of some of his friends, medical advice was obtained for it. Mr. Bennett just now is staying at his residence at Little Coogee, and there he has had the attention of Dr. Wright and Dr. Morris. His symptoms are regarded in an unfavourable light, but they are not of so decided a character that medical skill may not avert the dangers attending them.

Clever Capture.—At the Water Police Court, yesterday morning, a case of robbery with violence was heard, which disclosed some extraordinary facts, inasmuch as the assault occurred in one of the most frequented thoroughfares of the city at about 10 o'clock in the morning. We have already given some particulars respecting this extraordinary outrage, but the following facts, elicited in evidence, will be read with interest. Two men, named John Hughes and Andrew Murphy, were charged with assaulting and robbing David Claydon; and a young woman, Emma Brown, was also charged with being concerned in the same. It appears that on the morning of the 21st instant, at 9 o'clock, the prosecutor, a cook, who resides at Liverpool Plains, met the female prisoner in the city, and treated her to drink; two other women went into the public-house, and, being friends of Brown, were also "shouted" for. The party were afterwards joined by the two male prisoners, who requested the prosecutor to "shout" for them. He did so, and shortly afterwards left, in company of the three prisoners. They proceeded along Clarence-street to Church-hill, where, on arriving opposite Wentworth House, Brown called Claydon aside to speak to him. The two male prisoners then pounced upon him, Hughes kneeling upon his chest and pressing his arm upon prosecutor's throat, while Murphy rifled his pockets. The three prisoners immediately afterwards made off, and the men were lost sight of till the 24th instant, when senior-constable Higgins and constable Day arrested them at daylight in a hut at the head of Little Mossman's Bay. An entrance to the hut was effected through the window. The female prisoner was arrested in King-street on the evening of the 21st instant. The assault was witnessed by a young woman named Donohoe from one of the windows of Wentworth House. She gave her evidence as to identity in such a clear and firm manner that all attempts made by the prisoners to shake her testimony failed. In the result, the three were committed to take their trial at the Central Criminal Court, the sittings of which commence on the 12th of August next. The Bench desired that public notice should be drawn to the intrepidity, courage, and discretion shown by senior-constable Higgins and constable Day in arresting the prisoners; they (the magistrates) considered it such a remarkably clever capture that they asked the officers of the court to draw the attention of the Inspector-General of Police to the case, as such services deserved suitable recognition.

The Review on Queen's Birthday.—The Commandant, Colonel Richardson, has issued a general order, stating that his Excellency the Governor and Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to express satisfaction with the appearance, &c., of those Corps of the Military and Naval Forces of the colony which were reviewed by him on the 24th instant, in celebration of her Majesty's Birthday.

This day, at 11 a.m., general ironmongery, deer fencing wire, and damaged mantelpieces. Bradley, Newtown, and Lamb auctioneers, Spring and O'Connell streets.—Adv.

Supreme Court.—Business This Day.—Jury Court: Murray v. Dunlop, New Zealand Insurance Company v. South Australian Insurance Company, Sandeman and others v. Woodhouse, Humphrey v. Gordon. Banco Court: A. S. N. Co. v. Thurston (part heard), Couch v. Kinshela, O'Hara v. Power, Liardet v. Hawker. Master's Office: At 11 a.m., Brown and another v. Dibbs and others (3717), adjourned evidence of defendant Dibbs. Divorce Court: Crispin v. Crispin—The jurymen summoned in the above cause will not be required to-day, as the trial is unavoidably postponed till further notice, in consequence of his Honor Mr. Justice Hargrave being still engaged in the criminal cases at Darlinghurst.

The New Cable Contract.—Below is the text of the "Draft Memorandum of Agreement between the Governments of New South Wales and Victoria on behalf of the Australasian colonies and New Zealand on the one part, and the Eastern Extension Australasia and China Telegraph Company on the other." 1. That the company shall contract with the Governments for the construction of a second cable from Singapore direct to Banjoewangie, and thence direct to Port Darwin, for an annual subsidy not exceeding £32,400. 2. That such subsidy shall be payable for a period of not more than 20 years. 3. That the company shall, throughout the whole of the period during which such subsidy shall be payable, maintain in full working order such second cable, and also its present lines of cable betweeen Singapore and Batavia, and Banjoewangie and Port Darwin. 4. That the company shall, before such subsidy shall become payable, lay a second cable between Singapore and Penang, and thereafter shall maintain the same and its present lines of cable between Singapore and Penang, Penang and Madras, Madras and Rangoon, in full working order. 5. That the company shall, without any additional subsidy other than already agreed to for the duplication of the line from Singapore to Port Darwin, reduce their charge for Governmental messages between England and Port Darwin to the extent of 50 per cent., and their charges for Press messages to the extent of 75 per cent. on the present rates: Provided that such reductions shall not be extended to any colony other than such as may contribute towards the subsidy. 6. That the Government shall have the right during the currency of the subsidy aforesaid, to purchase the duplicate cable herein referred to on equitable terms, to be fixed by arbitration. 7. That the company shall complete and open for communication the cables herein contracted for within eight months from the date of the signing of the agreement: Provided always that the company shall not be held liable for any loss or damage which the colonies may sustain in consequence of delay in completing the said cables, in the event of such delay being caused by war or the like contingency over which it can have no control. 8. That in the event of the company completing and having the cables open for communication within the period herein contracted for, the subsidy payable by the Government shall commence and accrue four months after the signing of this agreement; but the company shall not be entitled to any payment under this clause until the cables shall have been actually completed and are open for communication as above stated. 9. That the said subsidy shall be payable quarterly in London to the company free of all deductions. 10. That in the event of any interruption in the communication between Port Darwin and Singapore, the subsidy shall cease *pro rata* for the period of such interruption: Provided that if the interruption be caused by reason of war or any such like cause the subsidy shall continue, but the company shall be bound to restore such communication at the request and cost of the Government so soon as the war or other contingencies shall have terminated. 11. The company shall at all times hereafter give priority in transmission through the said cable to all Government messages, Government messages being such as are exchanged between her Majesty's principal Secretary of State for the Colonies and the various Agents-general on the one hand, and the Governors and Chief Secretaries of the various Colonial Governments on the other. 12. Press messages must be addressed to licensed newspapers only, and shall be for bona-fide publication in full. They must be in English, in plain language, and intelligible; no cypher code, groups of figures or of letters, or words of concealed meaning to be used.

The Health of the Mayor of Sydney.—It is with sincere regret that we learn that his Worship the Mayor (Mr. Merriman) has been very dangerously ill during his recent visit to Melbourne. So serious indeed was his condition, that his sons were telegraphed for, and proceeded thither. Mr. Merriman was taken very unwell last Sunday week, and three medical gentlemen were called in; his illness was attributed to general debility, which had been much aggravated by travelling and change of climate. He was, however, able on Saturday to undertake the journey overland from Melbourne to Sydney, where he arrived early yesterday morning, accompanied by Mrs. Merriman. He is now, we are happy to state, going on as favourably as can be expected.

Bursting of a Water-main.—Yesterday afternoon, between 3 and 4 o'clock, the 9-inch main in Pitt-street burst, it is supposed, through a subsidence in the ground near the intersection of Market-street. This virtually shut off the supply from the premises on each side of the street as far as King-street, down which the main trunk pipe comes. The sewer is only a few inches under the main in question, and as it was feared a part of this might be swept away, the men were set to work last night to repair the injury, and it was anticipated that all would be made right by about 3 o'clock this morning, when complete reticulation would be restored.

Fire.—A somewhat extensive conflagration occurred yesterday morning at Balmain, by which two houses were totally destroyed. About a quarter-past 2 o'clock the watchman on duty at the brigade station, in Bathurst-street, noticed the reflection of a fire in the neighbourhood of Balmain. An engine was at once started and proceeded thither, when it was found that a weatherboard house in Park-street was in flames. The local engine was endeavouring to extinguish the fire, but it had obtained such a hold that it not only entirely destroyed the building and contents, both of which belonged to Mr. H. Geise, but spread rapidly to the adjoining house, also a weatherboard building owned by Mr. Henrickson. A small portion of the furniture was saved, but the rest, together with the building, was burnt to ashes. No one was sleeping in the first house, but those in the latter effected their escape. The firemen, finding it impossible to save the houses, turned their attention to preventing the fire from spreading, and were fortunately successful, after about an hour's exertions. Mr. Geise is insured for £200 and Mr. Henrickson for £100, both in the Australian Mutual Society.

Presentation.—Messrs. Flavelle and Roberts have on view at their atelier, George-street, a testimonial consisting of a very chaste sterling silver centrepiece, and also a gold keyless centre-second chronograph, to which is attached a shot-link eighteen carat gold albert and handsome locket. The centre-piece is an oak tree standing on a plate, and there are three shields—one bearing the inscription, "Presented to George Day, Esq., M.P. for the Hume electorate, by his constituents, as a token of the high esteem felt for him as their representative and public man;" on the other two are engraved Mr. Day's crest and monogram. At the root of the tree three stags stand grazing; projecting from the sides of the tree there are four branches, each bearing small cut-glass dishes, the topmost being the largest. The total cost is about £230.

National Statues at the Paris Exhibition.—On the Façade of the Trocadero Palace will be placed fourteen statues, executed by the following artists:—England, by M. Allard; the Indies, by M. Cugnot; Australia, by M. Roubeaux; South America, by M. Bourgeois; the United States by M. Calliéx; Sweden, by M. Allasseur; Norway, by M. Dequesne; Italy, by M. Marcelin; China, by M. Captier; Spain, by M. Doublemard; Austria, by M. Delove; Hungary, by M. Lafrance; Russia, by M. Lepère; Switzerland, by M. Gruyère; Belgium, by M. Leroux; Greece, by M. Delorme; Denmark, by M. Marquette; Persia, by M. Chatrousse; Egypt, by M. Ottin; Portugal, by M. Sanson; Japan, by M. Aizelin; the Netherlands, by M. Tournoix. The entrance to each "hof" in the Exhibition of 1873 had the arms of the various countries most artistically executed in cement. This amplification of the idea is thoroughly French, and worthy of the country that can still boast of being "La Grande Nation." The colossal statue of France, which will surmount the principal dome of the palace, is the work of M. Mercier. From each side of the cascade large groups cast in iron will symbolise the five parts of the world; these have been executed by Messrs. Falguière, Mathurin Moreau, Millet, Schœnowerk, and Delaplance.

Kangaroo Hunt.—Mr. Rowland Hassall, writing to Mr. Edward S. Hill, J.P., on the 26th May, says:—"We had a great muster at the drive—about 200 people the first day, and 150 the last. We had good sport. We got about 300 kangaroo and wallaby on Friday, and 400 on the Saturday. We did not manage well, as we should have had 1400 or 1500. They are very plentiful. The sport was better than at Nandi; not so much work for the horses, and more excitement. There was no keeping the men back when we got the wallaby into the lane." We learn that a taxidermist was sent by the trustees of the Australian Museum to procure skins and skeletons for that institution.

The Fatal Explosion at the Atlas Works.—The City Coroner resumed the inquiry yesterday afternoon at the Sydney Infirmary respecting the death of a man named Bywater, who was fatally injured by an explosion which took place at the Atlas Iron Works on Thursday evening last. We have already published the evidence given last Saturday, when the case was adjourned in the hope that Hilder (who has since died) would be able to give his version of the accident. At the commencement of the proceedings yesterday the Coroner referred to the inquest, which was held on Tuesday on the body of Hilder, and said he thought it would be unnecessary to call any more witnesses. The evidence then tendered was read over to the jury, together with the declaration made by Hilder, after which a verdict was returned that Thomas Bywater died from injuries accidentally received.

Temperance Lecture.—At the Temperance Hall, Pitt-street, last night, Mr. A. M. Cameron delivered an instructive lecture on the "Drinking habits of the people." There was an attendance of over 100 persons, and the chair was occupied by Mr. D. M'Beath, J.P. The lecturer glanced at the different causes that had operated in producing intemperance in the colony, mentioning, amongst others, the early practices permitted by Government officers; the practice of retailing spirits on board immigrant vessels, colonial excitement, custom and trade usages, the physical effects resulting from bad cooking and neglecting the laws of health, and the use of tobacco; and the granting of licenses to retail spirits. For all of these Mr. Cameron pointed out what he considered remedies. He combated the absurd statement that people could not be made moral by Act of Parliament, and said they should deal with drunkenness in the same way as they would deal with a drug that produced insanity. He urged also the utility of a Permissive Bill, and concluded his remarks, which were interspersed with anecdotes, amidst the applause of the audience. On the motion of Alderman Carpenter, seconded by Mr. John Woods, a cordial vote of thanks was accorded to the lecturer, and a temperance hymn having been sung the proceedings terminated.

The New South Wales Coursing Club.—A committee meeting was held at the Royal Hotel, yesterday afternoon, Mr. P. Higgins presiding. The chief object of the meeting was the payment of prizes won at the late Bathurst meeting, and the presentation of the cup given by Mr. H. M'Quade. This trophy was won by Peri, which started as nominated by Mr. G. F. Want, who informed the meeting that he had nothing to do with the entry, as he had left it in the hands of a member of the committee, by whom it was arranged that Peri should fill the nomination. It was, therefore, decided to leave the cup in the secretary's hands, pending the receipt of instructions respecting it from Mr. Pickup, or his agent. The amount of cash paid over for the three matches amounted to £706. Instructions were given to expend £25 in procuring hares for location in the county of Cumberland. A meeting is to take place on Tuesday next to consider the advisability of making next year's cup match a sixty-four dog stake of fifty guineas each.

Public Library at Ballarat.—Mr. David Ham, a member of the Board of Directors of the Public Library at Ballarat, yesterday waited on the Hon. H. E. Cohen, Colonial Treasurer, to record, on behalf of the committee their grateful acknowledgments for the valuable collection of elegantly bound books which were presented by him to the institution. We append a list of the books from the *Ballarat Courier*:—Public Statutes of New South Wales, in 7 vols. 4to., with index complete, from Act No. 1, anno quinto, Georgii Quarti Regis, 1824 to 1874; the New South Wales *Government Gazette*; Statistical Register; the Blue Book; and Report of the Department of Mines, geological charts of the principal mineral districts; also, charts of the agricultural and pastoral districts of New South Wales; report of the Sydney Industrial Exhibition, 1870; a pamphlet on "New South Wales, the oldest and richest of the Australian Colonies," by Mr. C. Robinson, New South Wales; "The Mother of the Australias," by Mr. G. H. Reid. Mr. Ham informs us that these works are valued by the people of Ballarat, and that they have accorded to them a prominent position in the Public Library.

Stray Shots.—On Tuesday evening, at the residence of Mr. R. W. Lamb, Wallis-street, Woollahra, a noise was heard in one of the rooms. After searching, a spent bullet was discovered on the window-sill. It had broken the window, and been stopped by the venetian blind. It is conjectured that some person firing missed aim, or that the missile had been picked up and thrown by some larrikin.

Poultry Club.—In reply to a communication from "Wessex" in yesterday's issue, we have a note from Mr. H. Bunting, of Waterloo, who subscribes himself "secretary pro tem.," stating that he and others are making arrangements, now very advanced, for forming a poultry club, and that most of the fanciers have promised him their support.

St. James's Mutual Improvement Association.—At the usual weekly meeting held in St. James's Schoolroom on Tuesday last, there was a full attendance of members. The Rev. Mr. W. Hough occupied the chair. The following question,—"Have the theatres a demoralising influence?" formed the subject of an animated debate. Mr. Starkey opened in the negative, followed by Mr. Phelps in the affirmative. The discussion was spiritedly maintained for nearly two hours, when the question was decided in the negative. This closed the proceedings.

Mercantile Rowing Club Annual Ball.—Last evening a meeting of the ball committee of the Mercantile Rowing Club was held at the Oxford Hotel, for the purpose of making the necessary preliminary arrangements for the annual ball in connection with the club. It has been decided that the ball shall take place at the Masonic Hall on Friday, 14th June, and in order to make the affair a success subcommittees were appointed to superintend such matters of detail as materially add to the comfort and convenience of visitors. The services of the Young Australian Band have been obtained for the occasion. The committee announced that a large number of tickets had already been disposed of.

Mdlle. Charbonnet's Concerts.—Yesterday evening Mdlle. Charbonnet gave her third concert in Sydney in the Masonic Hall, and so far has the accomplished pianist grown in popular favour that she had a much larger audience than at the previous concerts, the spacious hall indeed being crowded in every part. The programme was entirely composed of classical music; but in response to *encores*, an innovation was introduced in the shape of two or three of our own national popular selections, and on this occasion, as on all others, these afforded not less pleasure to the audience than the more artistic foreign compositions. The concert opened with a piano solo (Reis' "3rd Concerto"), by Mdlle. Charbonnet, and the skilful and artistic playing of the pianist at once delighted her audience, who, at the close of the piece, enthusiastically encored her; the compliment being acknowledged by a further selection. Signor Steffani then sang "Oh Jours Heureux" (Meyerbeer) with his wonted ability, and was applauded. The next item on the programme was a pianoforte duet, for two pianos, "Du Domino noir," and the pleasing character of the music, exquisitely expressed by the pianists, Mdlle. Charbonnet, Gertrude Palmer, Mrs. Palmer, and Monsieur Jules Meilhan, was thoroughly appreciated, and the players were encored. Mrs. Rosenberg gave a very effective rendition of Gounod's "Serenade," and acknowledged an encore by singing with much taste the ever-popular ballad, "Home, sweet home," which was warmly applauded. Herr Kreitschmann played a violin solo (Ernst's "Elégie") very skilfully, his performance being encored, and a string quartette, with Mdlle. Charbonnet as accompanist, was the last selection on the first part of the programme. The second part opened with a delightful selection of music from Beethoven, played by Mdlle. Charbonnet on the piano, Herr Kreitschmann on the violin, and Jules Meilhan on the violoncello. Mrs. Rosenberg then sang Arditi's "Il Baccio," and was deservedly encored, and she responded with the song "Coming through the rye," which also won the plaudits of her audience. A string quartette was next played: and then Mdlle. Charbonnet gave another performance on the piano—Weber's "Invitation à la Valse"—again affording her audience a rich treat. Signor Steffani sang Verdi's "O tu Palermo" very effectively, and this very enjoyable concert was brought to a close with another admirable pianoforte solo by Mdlle. Charbonnet.

Theatre Royal.—The comedy "As You Like It" is one of the most popular on our stage, and this was proved by the large attendance at the Theatre Royal last night. Mrs. Scott-Siddons was the Rosalind, which is equal to saying that it was well performed, for the character is one of those which she impersonates so well and truthfully. Mr. Chaplin as Jaques is always a favourite; and the other characters were well performed. As a whole the performance was decidedly a success. This evening "As You Like It" will be given for the last time.

Infirmary Items.—The following cases have been treated at the Sydney Infirmary:—James Home, 30, injury to ribs; William Aitken, 21, crushed fingers; Ursula O'Brien, 14, knocked down by a horse: Bertie Woof, 5, scalp wound.

OUR MELBOURNE LETTER.

May 25.

There were two processions during the past week. The first was on Monday, when at least a thousand unemployed men went up to Mr. Berry at the Treasury to ask him to give them something to do. The *Argus*, a few days previously, had said that two respectable operatives had gone to the office, stating that they represented many hundreds of similar men in Melbourne out of work, and ready and willing to work if they could get it. The *Age*, as a matter of course, sneered at the notion that with such a Government there could be anything but prosperity. And when some fifteen hundred of these men met on a vacant piece of ground in the centre of the most business street of the city, and declared with a loud voice their misfortunes, the same journal girded at them as impostors, and continued to insist that there were no unemployed. So they went up to the Chief Secretary and told him their troubles. They passed my house as they went, and I watched them all. There were no loafers among them. They were all respectable working men, not all of them in their working clothes, but all wearing an air of operative respectability. They did not, to be sure, look starved. They have not come to that yet. A good many of them, I have no doubt, had a little money saved, or they had credit at the butcher's and baker's, and probably the houses they lived in were their own. None the less were they out of work, and, accordingly, they looked very thoughtful. They did not get much consolation from Mr. Berry. He bade them be of good cheer, as the Imaums do to the dogs of Constantinople, when they collect them and take them to an island in the Bosphorus, there to eat each other. He talked the usual platitudes; said he would consult his colleagues, and so dismissed them. They gave a feeble cheer and then they dispersed, having got very little comfort from the man they have been worshipping for so many months. Since then they have signed their names to a written statement of their wants, and the list is continually increasing. Now that the fact of so much real distress is established, the Government organ, which so strenuously denied it, is discreetly silent. It will take time to make these working men understand how they have been befooled, but they will understand it. Meantime they have nobody's sympathy, that is to say, nobody out of their own order. It is felt that they are the class who are principally responsible for the present commercial depression. They have flung up their caps, and they have voted for the men who have howled at respectability and denounced capital. Naturally respectability and capital have taken the warning given them, and are chary of employing their money in a country which seems to be drifting into red-republicanism. The consequence has followed of commercial stagnation; and yet these foolish men, who are beginning to experience the unpleasantness of empty stomachs, persist in attributing all their misfortunes to the obstinacy of the Legislative Council in declining to meekly put their necks beneath the feet of the people's Ministry. Betting men are now laying heavily upon the probability that, in twelve months, Messrs. Berry and Company will have to hide themselves for fear of the vengeance of the men who now worship them.

The other procession took place last Thursday night, when the firemen congregated from all parts of the colony, and marched through the city carrying lights and scattering fireworks. It has been described as a "torchlight" procession. But there were no torches; each man carried a stick, at the end of which was a lamp. The scene was picturesque enough; but it wanted the glare and flare, and smoke and smell, of the real torchlight display. Of the fireworks, they suggested that what is lawful in the mass is criminal in the individual, as the firemen flung roman candles and rockets about in all directions, utterly regardless of where they went. I have not heard of any conflagration in consequence; but it was not their fault there was none. I can only suppose that as everybody was on the *qui vive* watching the procession, they were ready to extinguish any blaze which was raised as the result of this firebrand scattering. The next day, being the Queen's Birthday, several small boys, bursting with loyalty, let off crackers in the street, and were forthwith seized by large policemen, and, the next day lectured by the magistrates and fined. The competitive performances of the firemen have drawn together a large concourse of people, and I dare say it has been a source of much interest to a limited number of persons to see men in helmets and red or blue jackets, run out a reel of hose, fix it on a hydrant, and spout water into the air in so many seconds. Betting men, of course, bet upon particular brigades, and there was a certain measure of fun in all that; but, as an exhibition, it was wearisome. The town has been full of firemen for five days, and they block up the pavement everywhere in groups of seven or eight, as if being firemen, they had a professional right to cause persons, other than firemen, to go into the gutter. Regarding them individually, I am obliged to say they looked very scrubby. When walking in procession, they had a military appearance, and the reporters described them as "stalwart," just as when volunteers are reviewed, they are described as having a truly military appearance. It is such a good thing to have a fine imagination.

The return of Mr. Francis at Warrnambool, by a large majority, is variously regarded. His friends look upon it as a triumph; his enemies think nothing of it, and account for his success in various ways. If his opponent had been elected, it would have been a significant illustration of the popularity of the Government and the general belief in "liberal" principles. As a matter of fact it is a triumph, inasmuch as Mr. Francis had to fight both against "liberalism" and Roman Catholicism, he being, as I need hardly say, mainly responsible for the Education Act, against which Catholic priests have railed, and will continue to rail to the end of the last chapter. There will be another fight soon at Castlemaine. It is a stronghold of Berryism, but the enemy is not to be allowed to hold undisputed possession. It is unfortunate, however, for the Berryites themselves, that they cannot make up their minds who is to be the candidate. The Castlemaine people proper desire a local man; some Castlemaine people want Professor Pearson, and Mr. William Gaunson thinks that heaven has ordained him to represent them. Most people, even Liberals, think one Gaunson is enough in an Assembly, so that I conclude this ambitious young man has not much chance. The only hope is that both Gaunson, Pearson, and the local man will declare themselves candidates, and so a constitutionalist may win.

The Governor's friends are jubilant at the discovery that there were nearly as many persons present at the levee on Friday as last year. Numerically, it must be confessed, there was not much difference, and no doubt as to quality, those who were present considered themselves as good as anybody else, and probably a great deal better. It is a matter of opinion. But, as I looked through the published list, I missed many names of gentlemen who never failed of their attendance before, names honourably associated with long years of usefulness, of men whom thinking people regard as mainstays, barriers, and bulwarks of the community. If Sir George Bowen will carefully go through this list of last Friday's attendance, his self-love can hardly fail to experience a shock at the conviction that among the best men in Victoria, there are few who do not regard him with sovereign indifference. And the records of nearly every day appear to bring something additionally confirmatory of the conclusion that he has not only acted rashly in his first sanction of the unlawful doings of the men whom it is the colony's misfortune to have for a Government, but that he has used every mean and miserable expedient to find good reasons for the deeds he has committed. We have not been fortunate with our Governors. None of them have gone away beloved, not excepting Sir Henry Barkly, who was, at any rate, the wisest of them all. But when Sir George Bowen leaves us, as he shortly will—although he will, no doubt, sail away with the huzzas of the "people" (according to the *Age*) ringing in his ears—he will leave a memory which will for ever be associated with suffering and wrongdoing, as against those who gave no provocation. For he has given his assent to a system of terrorism, the effects of which will last for many years, and the strong and angry feelings engendered by which must be most disastrous. And apropos of this feeling, the letter of Mr. Thomas Higinbotham, late Engineer-in-chief of Railways, addressed to the Echuca Bridge Commission, in reply to the summons desiring his attendance as a witness, has given much satisfaction. It is a cartel of defiance, boldly thrown down; and there is good reason to believe it has taken the bully of the Government by surprise. For there has been so much quiet submission and patient resignation, that it has come to be thought all life and spirit were crushed out of the men who have been degraded. We are hardly likely ever to drift into civil war, but if we did, and the intelligence of the country eventually prevailed, as I think it would, there would be a terrible reckoning up of accumulated wrongs, wrought by the Government of which Mr. Berry is at the head.

THE PARIS EXHIBITION.

A meeting of the Commissioners for New South Wales at the Paris Exhibition was held at the Free Public Library yesterday afternoon, to consider correspondence received by the Colonial Secretary from the Agent-General in London and the Commissioners in Paris. Mr. W. Wallis occupied the chair, and there were present Mr. R. D. Adams, Mr. John Alger, the Hon. W. Busby, M.L.C., Mr. J. J. Calvert, the Hon. Thomas Holt, M.L.C., Mr. E. L. Montefiore, Mr. Charles Moore, Mr. P. N. Trebeck, J.P., and Mr. C. S. Wilkinson, F.G.S. The Agent-General, writing on the 28th of March, informed the Colonial Secretary that "The arrival of Professor Liversidge has greatly facilitated the progress of arrangements, as his experience and knowledge of the precise nature of the exhibits, and of the intentions of the Sydney Commission regarding them, enabled the Commissioners at once to give final instructions for preparing the show cases, which could not have been done without the further information he was able to afford. The arrival of M. Joubert has also been opportune, and has been the means of affording much assistance to the commissioners in Paris, to a quorum of whom, consisting of Mr. E. L. Montefiore, M. Sentis, and Professor Liversidge, we are indebted to the great progress which has been made since I last had the honour of addressing you on this subject. Mr. E. L. Montefiore has been good enough to undertake the duties of honorary treasurer, and I have handed over to him the £500 provided for mineralogical and geological show cases." Writing on the 12th April, Mr. Forster advised the Colonial Secretary that the goods per Stad Amsterdam were in course of transhipment, and would be forwarded to Paris on that day; and stated that all other matters in regard to the Exhibition appeared to be progressing satisfactorily. The following letters from Mr. E. L. Montefiore of Paris, to the Colonial Secretary, were also submitted:—

"Paris, 27th March, 1878.

"The Hon. the Colonial Secretary, Sydney.

"I have the honour to inform you that my fellow Commissioner, M. Sentis, and myself, being at one time the only Commissioners for New South Wales in Paris, have been obliged by circumstances to take certain action in matters connected with the Exhibition.

"The 27th February we were requested by Mr. Owen to attend at the Elysée, where we had the honour of being presented to the Marshal President, who received us with great cordiality, expressed his satisfaction at seeing countries so distant participate in the Exhibition, and said that New South Wales had tendered a special service to Algeria, as it was from there that eucalyptus, now so largely cultivated in Algeria, was first obtained.

"After being presented formally at his request to H. R. H. the Prince of Wales, we attended a second meeting, presided over by his Royal Highness and attended by all the representatives of all the different Australian commissions, the 8th instant, the object being to decide on designs for the trophies in the dome. The plan proposed by the Sydney Commissioners was not accepted by the British Royal Commission, nor by the French Commission-in-chief; and it was finally decided that an increased space should be allotted to each colony in front of the iron pillar that in this space, or rather obelisk representing the mass of gold, should be raised. This obelisk will start from the ground for Victoria, but will be raised on a substructure of ingots of tin, copper, &c., for us. In order to secure certain harmony in the decoration of these trophies which occupy one of the most conspicuous positions in the building, it was agreed, at the request of the Prince, that the trophies should be erected by Mr. Clarke, architect of the British Royal Commission.

"241 cases of exhibits sent by the Hankow having arrived in Paris, we took the necessary measures for having the trucks unloaded and the cases placed on our ground. We leased a wine cellar from the British Royal Commission, and had the wines per Hankow at once placed in the cellar.

"Having the list of exhibits in hand, we were better able to judge what might be the necessary arrangements for their display, and we saw several contractors on the subject.

"Professor Liversidge arrived in Paris on the 12th instant, being three commissioners in Paris. We were enabled to form a quorum under the provisions of the Commission of November 6th, 1877, and accordingly a formal meeting of your three Commissioners, M. Sentis, Prof. Liversidge, and myself, was held the 15th instant.

"At that meeting the steps taken by Messrs. Sentis and Montefiore, on behalf of the Commissioners, were approved, the plans of Mr. Clarke and his estimate of £160 were accepted. The general arrangement of the Court was fixed, and M. Montefiore was requested to procure plans and offers from eligible contractors for the ensuing Monday, 18th inst., to which day the meeting was adjourned.

"Our secretary, M. Joubert, having arrived in Paris, attended the meetings of the 18th and 19th, and he will have informed you of the resolutions taken thereat.

"I may add that M. Sentis and myself have been most happy to give our active services whenever necessary, and will gladly contribute in future to do all that lies in our power for ensuring the success of the New South Wales Exhibition.

"I remain, &c.,

(Signed) "E. L. Montefiore."

"Paris, 12th April, 1878.

"The Honorable the Colonial Secretary, Sydney.

"I have the honour to confirm my letter of the 27th ultimo.

"At a meeting of the Commissioners, held here the 19th ultimo, I was (as you may have learned from the report of our secretary) appointed hon. treasurer to the Commission in Paris.

"This decision was formally communicated to the Agent-General, who thereupon forwarded to me a sum of £500, which had been sent for the special purpose of preparing and arranging the cases for the display of the geological and mineralogical collections. He at the same time informed me that he had no instructions whatever as to funds for the general purposes of the Exhibition.

"The only information we have on this most important matter is that furnished by Professor Liversidge, who informs us that 25 tons of copper were purchased by the Commissioners in Sydney, that this metal may be sold for delivery, and the funds proceeding from the sale be used to defray our expenses here; proper steps have been taken for effecting this sale, as we have already had to engage the responsibility of the Commissioners for an amount considerably above that of the £500 which has been remitted by the Agent-General.

"It is, however, uncertain whether the proceeds of this sale and the £500 above mentioned will be sufficient to defray all expenses for arrangement of the Exhibition, freight of goods from London here, and current expenses during the Exhibition, the more so as it has been intimated to us that we shall have to pay the salary which the Colonial Government has granted to our secretary (less £250 already paid to him in advance), and an indemnity to the same secretary for his expenses in Paris. We may moreover be requested to pay a salary and travelling expenses to an executive commissioner if, as the Agent-General supposes, Mr. Combes has been appointed to this post.

"Under these circumstances it appears to me desirable that you should be so good as to inform me if, in case of necessity, other funds will be placed at the disposal of the Paris Commissioners; and, if so, to what extent and in what manner.

"As regards Mr. Combes being sent here as Executive Commissioner, I trust he will bring full instructions, so that M. Sentis, Mr. Liversidge, and myself may know if in future we are to cease occupying ourselves actively, as we have hitherto done, with the organisation arrangements and management of the exhibition here.

"I am happy to say that, though taken in hand so late, the work is progressing rapidly, and that the cases in the main part of the building will, in all probability, be ready before the end of next week. We have, as yet, only the exhibits sent per Hankow. The Stad Amsterdam is, however, unloading in London, and we have reason to hope that the packages sent by her will be here in a few days.

"We hope to be able to forward by the next mail detailed plans of the arrangements of the court, with drawings of the principal cases. There has been no time for preparing these for this mail, and modifications may still be introduced. I am, &c.,

(Signed) "E. L. Montefiore."

In the conversation which arose respecting the correspondence read it was thought probable that the Government had made the necessary provision for the expenses connected with the Exhibition at Paris, but in the event of that not having been done, the secretary was requested to invite the attention of the Government to the subject.

How Rainfall is Affected by Trees.—M. Fourtrat recently communicated to the Paris Academy the result of some observations he had made relative to the comparative influence of leafy woods and resinous trees on rain and hygrometric state of the air. It would seem that pine forests have a much greater influence on the hygrometric state than others; so that if the vapours dissolved in the air were apparent, like fogs, we should see forests shrouded in a large screen of moisture, and in the case of resinous woods the vapoury envelope would be more distinct than in that of leafy woods. M. Fourtrat also shows that pines retain in their branches more than half of the water that is poured upon them, whereas leafy trees allow 58 per cent. of the precipitated water to reach the surface of the ground. He suggests, therefore, that in planting with a view to oppose inundations, it would be advisable to choose by preference resinous trees, as offering a better covert.

Prince Gortschakoff, a son of the Russian Chancellor, who for some years has represented his country at Berne, is to be sent as Ambassador to Rome.

Dr. de Jongh's Light-Brown Cod Liver Oil.—Surpassingly Efficacious as a Restorative Medicine and Food.—Dr. Whitmore, Medical Officer of Health, St. Marylebone, writes:—"My own somewhat lengthened experience as a medical practitioner enables me with confidence to recommend Dr. de Jongh's Light-Brown Cod Liver Oil, as being more uniform in quality, more certain in its effects, more palatable, and infinitely less likely to disagree with the stomach than the Pale Oil. The practice which often prevails of mixing certain ingredients with cod liver oil, to render it agreeable to the taste, is highly objectionable, for we have it on the authority of Dr. de Jongh himself that anything which sophisticates it takes largely from its therapeutic value. If I were asked for an explanation of the marked success which for so many years has attended the administration of Dr. de Jongh's Light-Brown Cod Liver Oil, I should say that it is owing to its extraordinary medicinal, dietetic, and regimenal properties, and which are found to exist in no other medicine that I am acquainted with in such uniform combination." Dr. de Jongh's Light-Brown Cod Liver Oil is sold only in capsuled imperial half-pints, pints, and quarts by all chemists and druggists. Sole consignees, Ansar, Harford, and Co., 77, Strand, London. Agents at Sydney, Elliott Brothers.—Adv.

MR. CRESWICK'S BENEFIT.

To-night being the last night but one of his long engagement, Mr. William Creswick takes his own benefit, and rarely has any actor better deserved from the public a bumper house. During his stay in Sydney, Mr. Creswick has devoted himself to the legitimate drama, and has presented to the public excellent renderings of plays of established reputation. To two classes of persons he has rendered distinct service, and been the source of refined pleasure. To the students of Shakespere, his acting has been an interpretation, and he has thrown always a clear, and sometimes a fresh light on the characters he has embodied. To the lovers of the dramatic art he has furnished a type of powerful, and at the same time careful and furnished acting, and has materially helped to raise the standard of public taste in this direction. The citizens generally he has unconsciously flattered by enabling them to think a little better of their own taste and judgment than they have been wont to think. It has been held, as would seem unjustly, that Shakespeare would soon pall on a Sydney audience, and that a long run of legitimate drama was not possible here. Mr. Creswick has proved the unsoundness of this supposition, and for 135 consecutive nights he has kept the Victoria Theatre well attended. At first he drew in virtue of the reputation he brought with him, and afterwards by the satisfaction he gave to those who had once been present. This is the longest engagement of the kind ever sustained in Sydney, and its success will not, it is to be hoped, be lost upon managers. We owe Mr. Creswick our acknowledgments for having proved what is possible, and to an actor with his enthusiasm for his profession it will be no small satisfaction to believe that his engagement here has done something to raise the status of the drama in New South Wales. During his engagement he has given Virginius 10 nights, King Lear 18, Merchant of Venice 7, A New Way to Pay Old Debts 5, *Hamlet* 13, The Jealous Wife 6, William Tell 10, The Stranger 2, Henry VIII. 11, Much Ado About Nothing 5, Richard III. 9, Henry IV. 12, Othello 11, Werner 3, and Romeo and Juliet and School for Scandal each once. To this has to be added that in Othello he has represented Iago as well as the Moor, and that on his benefit night he has substituted part of The Taming of the Shrew for the last act of Henry VIII. This is what the Americans would call a good record; and that Mr. Creswick should have been successful all through is a remarkable proof of his freshness, his versatility, and the thoroughness with which he gives himself to his work. To say that he has been perfect, or even equally perfect, in all his parts, would be flattery and not honest criticism. The best of artists are not always at their best, and there is a certain *rapport* between an actor and his characters the want of which prevents even the most plastic and practised of artists from fitting every mould with the same ease and naturalness. But Mr. Creswick has always been guaranteed against failure by his long practice under the fire of English criticism. Taken all round we have never had such a series of characters so well represented, though we hope it may not be long before the impression already created may be revived and deepened. We understand the Mr. Creswick leaves to fulfil an engagement in Adelaide, and we can assure our friends of the sister colony that during Mr. Creswick's stay they will have the opportunity of an intellectual treat and of an artistic study such as does not often fall to their lot.

THE MUNICIPAL CONFERENCE.

The members of the Municipal Conference, to the number of forty, met at the Town Hall, yesterday afternoon, for the purpose of arranging for a deputation to wait on the Minister for Works to urge upon that gentleman the necessity for suburban railways. Another object the Conference had in view was to decide upon the form of a petition to Parliament on the same subject. Alderman Taylor was voted to the chair. He read a communication from Mr. Tunks, of St. Leonards, to the effect that that gentleman would use his influence with the Council there to get them to co-operate with the Conference. A letter of apology for non-attendance was also received from the acting Mayor of Sydney. The minutes of the previous meeting having been read and confirmed, Mr. George Kiss, the Mayor of Randwick, moved a resolution to the effect that the deputation to wait on the Minister for Works should consist of as many of the members of the Conference as desired to attend on it, and this was seconded by Alderman Attlett, of Woollahra. A short discussion took place on the resolution, during which it was suggested that the deputation should be formed of one member of each Borough Council, or that each Council should appoint what representatives it chose. Mr. Ives, the Mayor of Victoria, said his experience went to prove that the fewer there were in the deputation the more likelihood there was of their object being obtained. Otherwise it was very probable that members of the deputation would ventilate their own affairs to the detriment of the subject of general suburban railways. This view was dissented from by several. Mr. P. Lucas thought the resolution, if allowed to include as many representatives from Borough Councils as they chose to send, would be too vague. One from each Council was sufficient to his mind. Finally, the resolution was altered to the following form and unanimously agreed to:—"That a deputation consisting of delegates from each of the suburban Councils, together with the Mayor of Sydney, wait upon the Minister for Works on Friday, the 7th of June next, at 10.30, to urge upon the Government the claims the inhabitants of the city of Sydney and its suburbs have to a share in any railway scheme that may be submitted to Parliament." The secretary (Mr. George Wall) then read a copy of the petition intended to be presented to Parliament. Its form was accepted as suitable for its intended purpose, on the motion of Alderman Roberts of Sydney, seconded by Alderman Hayes of Manly. It was mainly to the effect that the city and its suburbs having outgrown existing accommodation, necessity had arisen for superseding the present mode of transit, and for providing a means in accordance with the spirit of the times. It also stated that the residents of the city and suburbs represented about one-third of the population of the colony, and that they would be greatly benefited by a system of circular suburban railways. Reference was also made to the fact, that the Assembly last year approved of plans, sections, and estimates, for a system of suburban railways being prepared, and to the fact that those plans, sections, and estimates were in a state of forwardness. The secretary was instructed to make arrangements for the proper presentation of the petition to the Legislature. In moving the adjournment of the Conference until necessity arose for its further action in the matter of suburban railways, Mr. J. E. Ives expressed his satisfaction at there being so many present at the meeting, and at the harmony characterising their proceedings. He was very earnest in his desire to see a network surrounding the city, and he felt that the greatest drawback the colony suffered from was its slow progress in railway construction. He regretted that North Shore could not be comprised in the scheme, but he would ask them not to raise the question as to where the first railway should be built. That point should be left to the Government. They had previously suffered from the neglect of Governments, it was true, and although the residents of Sydney and its suburbs represented such a vast number of the population, they did not enjoy the expenditure of the revenue in anything like the same proportion as the smallest township in the colony. These sentiments were generally applauded, and Mr. Ives's resolution, after being seconded by Alderman M'Mahon, were affirmed. The proceedings then terminated with a vote of thanks to the chairman.

Execution of Ing Chee.—On the 28th instant the extreme penalty of the law was carried into effect, at Goulburn, on the body of the condemned Chinaman, Ing Chee, convicted of the murder of one of his countrymen, Li Dock, on the 18th December, 1877. The *Herald* states that, shortly after the Executive had decided that the law should take its course in the case, application was made to the Government for a Chinese Christian missionary to instruct the unfortunate man. This request was complied with, and Mr. George Ah Len, a very intelligent Chinese missionary, was sent, and for nine days was most assiduous in his endeavours to bring Ing Chee to a perfect state of mind to meet his fate. The efforts of the missionary have been most successful, as the condemned expressed a clear and unhesitating belief in the truth of the Christian religion. It was thought by some of the officials that as the prisoner had apparently thoroughly embraced the Christian religion it would be well that he should be baptized, and accordingly this rite was performed on Monday morning by the Rev. A. M. Tait, minister of the Presbyterian Church. On Monday the criminal passed a tolerably quiet night, occasionally waking and engaging in prayer. At the usual hour he was awakened by the warder, and breakfasted. About a quarter to 8, the missionary entered his cell, and prayed with him for some time, and otherwise endeavoured to comfort the criminal, who thanked the missionary for all the trouble he had taken in instructing him. A few minutes after 9 o'clock, the Under-Sheriff (Mr. Thurlow) gave orders for the criminal to be brought out for execution. The prisoner, who since his incarceration had become very stout, and looked very hale and strong, having had his arms pinioned, was led out, and when in the corridor he cried out in a loud voice, "Good-by." On arriving at the foot of the gallows, the missionary and Ing Chee knelt down, and the former prayed earnestly in the Chinese language for his unfortunate countryman. During the prayer Ing Chee swayed his body about, and wept loudly and most bitterly. Just before ascending the gallows, he called to some half-dozen of his countrymen to come and shake hands with him. This having been done, he was led up the fatal steps by two of the warders, being too excited and trembling to do so without assistance. On reaching the floor of the scaffold Ing Chee appeared to become more calm and ceased weeping, but exclaimed several times, both in English and Chinese, "Jesus Christ." Mr. George Ah Len then exhorted Ing Chee to trust in God and be firm under the trying circumstances he was placed in. Ing Chee then shook hands with the missionary, who retired. The hangman having finished his preliminary arrangements, the execution took place, and the gaol surgeon, in about fifteen minutes afterwards, declared life to be extinct. About forty persons witnessed the execution. The body was buried in the Presbyterian burying-ground.

HYDE PARK RIOT CASE.

This case, arising out of certain proceedings one Sunday afternoon, on the Hyde Park, on the occasion of Pastor Daniel Allen preaching there, and which has excited so much interest of late, was concluded last night after three days' trial at the Central Criminal Court. The defendants, William Stritch, John Foley, Patrick Griffin, Philip Stapleton, William Hall, Alexander Murphy, and Henry Sheridan were charged before his Honor Mr. Justice Hargrave, with having made a riot in Hyde Park on the 10th of March last. Mr. W. H. Cooper defended Stritch, Foley, Griffin, and Hall; and Mr. J. O. O'Ryan defended Sheridan, Stapleton, and Murphy, being instructed by Mr. Farrell and Mr. Fitzgerald.

The case commenced on Monday; but in accordance with our usual rule we have held over a report of the evidence until the case was concluded, in order that no prejudice on either side might be created. We now give an abstract of the proceedings, with the final result. It will be seen that the jury acquitted all the accused but two—Stritch and Stapleton—and these two they recommended to the consideration of the Court, on the ground that they were provoked by the distribution of some pamphlets on the occasion. The Attorney-General intimated that the Crown would, under the circumstances, simply require the accused to appear for judgment when called upon. A full report of the evidence taken at the Police Court in this matter has already appeared in this journal, and that given in the Criminal Court was a little more than a recapitulation. Therefore only an abstract appears below with the final result of the case.

Monday.

The Attorney-General opened the case. He should have been glad had it been unnecessary to commence this prosecution; but this was an important matter, and it was necessary to vindicate the law for the preservation of the public peace. Fortunately, in this case, no great actual injury was done to the persons present; but had violence been used, such as any striking with sticks or bludgeons, and a retaliation made, there is no knowing what bloodshed and loss of life might have ensued. We owed it to Divine Providence that nothing so serious happened. It had been well said that the severity of punishment was of less importance than its certainty. There might be circumstances in this case which, if the defendants were found guilty, would be duly considered by the Court in passing sentence; but it was essential to the welfare of the community that guilty persons should be certainly brought to punishment. He therefore asked the jury to give their most careful consideration to this case, dismissing from their minds all that they might have heard about the facts outside, to decide it entirely on its merits and according to the evidence alone. The learned gentleman then detailed the circumstances which it was proposed on the part of the Crown to prove.

Police constable Tyndall was the first witness. He stated that he was on duty in Hyde Park, about ten minutes past 3 on Sunday, March 10; Pastor Allen was preaching to 300 or 400 persons there; noticed Stritch about twenty or thirty yards away; Stapleton came up and spoke to him, and there was a crowd of people gathering behind them; the two, followed by this crowd, at once came towards the people around Allen; Stritch said "The heretics won't hear us;" he took a book from his pocket, held it out, and cried, "Here's what the Pilgrim says, it will show you what he is;" there were about 700 or 800 persons there at the time; Stritch and Stapleton led them on; the latter was very much excited, he cried "Hunt the heretics off;" the crowd then made a rush at Allen's crowd, hustling and pushing them; in the scuffle Allen was knocked off the stool he was standing on; he got up immediately, and was again pushed off; the crowd broke through Allen's crowd, and Allen's friends and two policemen came round him and escorted him out of the park to his house in Castlereagh-street; witness himself was much crushed in the crowd; constable Cornish was also crushed, and had to go to the Infirmary; Allen was followed to his house by a crowd of 2000 or 3000 persons, yelling and shouting; witness was in plain clothes; did not strike any body that day; saw a man in the crowd with road metal in his pocket; the only others of the defendants he saw in the crowd were Foley and Griffin.

Joseph Fubbs gave further evidence as to the disturbance, and identified Stritch, Sheridan, Hall, Murphy, and Stapleton, as taking part in the affair.

Sergeant Flaherty was on duty on the park on the day in question, and saw the occurrence; the two crowds were mixed when Mr. Allen was pushed down; there were six policemen on duty, and two in plain clothes; no particular act of violence took place; Stritch and Stapleton were present on that occasion, and spoke very loud; they used some language which witness did not understand—it was neither English nor Irish; saw a blow struck by a man named Craig; that was about the only blow witness saw struck; Craig was one of Allen's party; the mob among which Stritch and Stapleton were made two rushes at Allen's party; on the second Mr. Allen was knocked down; previous to this Mr. Allen's party had sung a verse of a hymn and then said some words, immediately after which the disturbance took place; witness and others saw Mr. Allen taken safely home.

John Cropley was present on the day; a sudden rush was made by a crowd while the people were listening to Mr. Allen; heard Stapleton say to Stritch, "I'll see the —— dog does not preach to-day;" there was great excitement, yelling, and bad language; Mr. Allen was thrown down twice, and afterwards conveyed home by his friends; saw a man, whose name he did not know, attempting to strike Allen with a long stick; a great crowd followed Allen home; do not know a man named Craig by name.

George Munro saw Stritch and Stapleton in Bathurst-street about 10 minutes past 3 on the afternoon in question; they were together; saw them together again in the park, when Mr. Allen appeared; they shook hands and then commenced roaring; Griffin was with them; they were within a few yards of Allen's party; a party of about 400 were with them; heard Stritch say, "Kill the old ——, trample him under foot;" they then made a rush at Allen's party, and were repulsed; a second more effective rush was made, and Allen was thrown down on his knees; this was done twice, and the police then took him away; Stapleton said, "Stick to us boys, we'll crush the old —— under our feet;" this was said before the crush came; when this was made both Stritch and Stapleton were encouraging the others to push on. This witness swore to all the prisoners as being present on the occasion.

J. W. Ward stated that Stritch and Stapleton took part in the proceedings, but Griffin was acting peaceably, though present; saw Stritch and Stapleton meet; they said, "We will go and resume our argument;" they then went, followed by about another twenty people, to Allen's crowd, and were standing there three or four minutes, talking together very loudly; Allen's crowd turned round and forced them back to the place they came; they returned and mixed up in the crowd, and another rush was made against them, and they were again forced back; they seemed to claim the same right to discuss their arguments in that place as anyone else; witness went into the crowd, as he heard a cry that some children were being crushed to death; went in and saw Mr. Allen half reclining on the ground; heard some language (similar to that already quoted) used, and saw a man attempt to strike him with a stick, but this was stopped; there were a great many larrikins present, and they used the language spoken of; did not hear the defendants use the language, but Stritch and Stapleton seemed to be the leaders of the party.

Francis Abigail recognised Stritch, Stapleton, and Griffin only as being present on the occasion, the people who were creating the disturbance were much excited, so much so that witness was alarmed for the result; saw Allen thrown down twice in the rush; he was then taken home, a large crowd following, hooting, shouting, and pushing each other as before.

The Court then adjourned until the following day.

Tuesday.

His Honor, on taking his seat, pointed out to the Attorney-General that the evidence, so far, would not sustain the information for riot. It was not enough that there was mere pushing and that one or two men were fighting, or a person hallooing out. There must be some display of flags or banners, some throwing of stones, or general uproar showing a determined intention to outrage the public peace. He only pointed this out now as he did not know what further evidence there might be; so far, there was no evidence of a general riot.

Daniel Allen was then called, and stated that he was a Baptist minister, and went on the 10th March to preach at Hyde Park as usual; commenced at 3 o'clock p.m. by singing a hymn and reading a chapter from the New Testament; there were a great many persons round him listening; noticed a crowd of 500 persons assembling to the north of where he was standing, and about twenty yards away; Stapleton was among them, he was gesticulating and uttering some strange cry; heard no other violent language used; then a rush was made from the direction of the Museum, which was resisted by his congregation; there was no particular noise, only pushing or struggling; a second rush was then made from the direction of St. James's Church, which carried everything before it, there was much shouting then, and he and the women and children were intimidated; was surrounded and knocked down, and trodden on; some one, he could not say whom, mounted the rostrum and shouted "victory," his books were scattered, and his umbrella snatched from him; never struck at or pushed any one with the umbrella; got on the platform and was immediately thrown down again; thought it best to go away and was assisted by his son and a constable principally, out of the park, and escorted to his house, a great crowd following; was then in bodily fear of the mob.

Cross-examined by Mr. Cooper: Had not said anything that day, had only sung a hymn and was reading a chapter; only recognised Stapleton, could not speak as to the others: all the faces were so distorted with rage at the time that when they were calm he could not recognise them; the mob were like wild beasts; would swear that he did not say at any time, "Here come the Romanists;" had had plenty of warnings that he would be murdered, but, notwithstanding, went to the park that Sunday, considering it his duty; declined to say by whom he was warned; the persons following him were nearly all grown up; did not circulate or cause to be circulated any pamphlets that day; some were on the ground, but not by his instructions; did not ask anybody to be present that day to protect him from harm.

W. B. Eagar said that he saw Stapleton, Stritch, and Griffin on the ground; Stapleton was using some bad language, and witness said he would be sorry for his words some day; Stapleton said that witness was one of Allen's —— mob, and then waving his hat and stick, shouted "Faugh-a-ballaugh! Boys, stick together, we'll rush the —— heretics off the ground:" the rush then took place, with great yelling and shouting; when Allen left the park Foley, Hall, and Sheridan followed in the crowd, and Foley and Hall were apparently attempting to get Allen away from his friends; had heard that there was to be a disturbance on the park that Sunday, but did not go there for that purpose; was struck by Griffin; was knocked down in the crowd and trampled on.

Hugh Thompson gave evidence similar to that of former witnesses as to the rush made on Allen's congregation, and his being knocked down.

Charles Vaughan also stated what occurred on the occasion, and said that he had received serious injuries in the struggle that occurred, and especially a wound on the leg, which he showed to the jury, and which he said had been inflicted by a kick received then, but did not know by whom; when the mob came up they cried, "Hurray for liberty of speech. Here's the Pilgrim's book which will show these people what they are." There was a regular crowd and rush on both sides.

W. J. Swain recognised Sheridan, Stritch, Foley, Griffin, and Stapleton in the crowd; there was a great tumult, but witness did not hear any words spoken, only yelling; witness was knocked down, and very much frightened, but went with the crowd which followed Allen to his house, hooting and yelling, and saw Stritch and Stapleton in the crowd following also; in witness's opinion the crowd were on the park for the purpose of making a raid on Pastor Allen.

Police-constable Cornish was present on the occasion; saw Stritch and Stapleton there; they were leading the mob on; they spoke about the Pilgrim's book, and about running the heretics off the ground; there was a crowd round both Allen and the other men; the latter was the larger, and was increasing. He detailed the circumstances of the affair as before; he saw Foley there also; was pushed down, and felt ill afterwards; went to the Infirmary, suffering from fever and diarrhœa; was off duty for five weeks; saw a man with stones in his pocket; he belonged to Stritch's crowd; the crowd were very violent, pushing and shouting all the time; did not see any blows struck; was not bruised himself; was with constable Tyndall; Stritch was on the ground first; Stapleton came up to join him; could not say whether any one was with him; Tyndall said, "Here's Stapleton coming;" the two constables followed Stritch and Stapleton, but did not interfere with them; heard them say "Let's form a ring;" the rush was then made; Allen was preaching, but could not hear what he said; he had some books and tracts in his hand; saw an umbrella in his hand also; the man with stones in his pocket was not one of the defendants.

This concluded the case for the Crown.

Mr. Cooper submitted that the defendants could not be convicted under this information in the present state of the law. It must be shown (which was not done) that the defendants were portion of a body of men who went on the park with the intention of creating a riot. It was not a riot if they were there promiscuously. Further, Hyde Park was only made a public place by Act 40 Victoria, No. 16, section 2, which only refers to offences punishable by statutes, and the statutes applicable were the Hyde Park Act and the Public Parks Act, and he submitted that this information should have been laid under these instead of under the common law.

His Honor overruled both points, but at Mr. Cooper's request took a note of them. Evidence had better be taken.

For the defence the following witnesses were called:—

Joseph W. Macdonald was in the park on the day in question when Allen was preaching; he gave out a hymn which was sung, and then produced a newspaper from which he read to the people around, some 80 to 100, something about Dr. Vaughan and the Jesuits coming here, and called on all Protestants far and near to enrol against such a thing; there were cheers, and then he said something about a mob with pistols and popguns, and added, "I'm here;" the people round him said, "Let them try it;" saw Stritch and Stapleton meet on the park and propose to resume some argument; they said something about liberty of speech on the park, and proposed to form a ring; they were then very near Allen's party, which made a rush at them; particularly noticed Fubbs and Powell active in the business; sergeant Flaherty told Stritch to go away; he said that if he had done anything wrong the sergeant could take him; saw Craig selling pamphlets on the park that day; also saw Powell with a stick; then there was a general rush on both sides; saw Allen addressing the crowd and beating and pushing with an umbrella; then the rush came and Allen was tumbled off his stand, and was afterwards removed from the park by his friends and was followed home by them and a crowd of larrikins and other people.

The Court then adjourned until the following morning.

Wednesday.

The evidence for the defence was continued.

W. F. Hinchy stated that he saw Stritch and Stapleton come on the ground, and one of them said "We'll have our argument out;" the argument was about liberty of speech; they then formed a ring for the purpose; there was a crowd round them; Stritch said that they had as much right to speak on the park as any one else; sergeant Flaherty then spoke to him, and Stritch replied "If I have done wrong take me away;" then he and Stapleton were pushed by the mob against Allen's mob, and there was a general row; Stritch had his back to Allen at this time, and Stapleton was excited by the mob forcing him on apparently; Griffin was there, but caught hold of a tree and took no part in the matter; Stritch and Stapleton did not follow Allen off the park; Stritch was in the habit of holding arguments in the park on Sunday afternoons, and a ring is formed round him; on this occasion there was no actual violence; the crowd was composed chiefly of larrikins; Allen's people made the first push, and seemed to be annoyed at having the other crowd near them; this was resented by the others, and then the pushing and struggling became general; there was nothing really serious in the affair; it was not a dangerous row; heard no bad language used.

B. Gaffney gave similar evidence; heard nothing that seemed to indicate a designed attack or riot; no bad or violent language was used, and no blows were struck; witness advised Stapleton to keep his temper and have no row (as he was a little irritated), and he replied, "We don't want any row, but we have as much right to be here as Allen has; Stritch was quite cool and quiet; then another rush came from Allen's party; there seemed to be much good humoured fun about the affair, witness considered it so himself; did not see Allen escorted off the ground.

John Flynn, Denis Sellars, and Samuel Cosgrove gave similar evidence.

This was the defence.

In reply, Robert Craig was recalled, and stated that he never used any stick on the occasion of this disturbance. On cross-examination, he admitted having been distributing certain tracts about the park on the Sunday.

Mr. Cooper then addressed the jury at great length, and Mr. O'Ryan followed.

The Attorney-General replied.

His Honor summed up. He explained the definition of riots as laid down in Hawkins' Pleas of the Crown—"a tumultuous disturbance of the peace by three persons or more assembling together of their own authority with an intent mutually to assist one another against any who shall oppose them in the execution of some enterprise of a private nature, and afterwards actually executing the same in a violent and turbulent manner, to the terror of the people, whether the act intended were of itself lawful or unlawful." It would not affect the case for the Crown what the original intention of the persons was in assembling together—it might be for the most innocent purpose — but if, after that assembling, the purpose was formed of assisting each other in resisting any persons who might oppose them, and executed their purpose violently and turbulently, they would in law be guilty of a riot; the jury would judge how far the conduct of the defendants came within the law as thus laid down. His Honor then briefly commented on the evidence as to the probabilities of the case.

Mr. Cooper took the exception that it was necessary that an "intent" should be proved, and there was in this case no proof of any intent to "mutually assist."

His Honor took a note of the objection.

The jury retired at 25 minutes past 5, and at a quarter-past 6 returned with a verdict of guilty against Stritch and Stapleton, and not guilty as to the other defendants. The jury recommended Stritch and Stapleton to the consideration of the Court in consequence of the provocation received by the distribution of pamphlets on the occasion.

The Attorney-General said that he thought he would best discharge his duty by not praying judgment, but by simply requiring Stritch and Stapleton to enter into their own recognizances to appear for judgment when called on.

His Honor assented, and this course was pursued.

The Court then adjourned until the following morning.

MR. BERRY AT KOROIT.

[By Telegraph.]

[From our own Correspondent.]

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

The Hon. Graham Berry, speaking at the banquet given to Mr. Dwyer at Koroit last night, indulged in much extravagance of assertion. He said the Opposition were unscrupulous and were determined by any and every means to compass the destruction of the Government. There was every indication to show that in the coming session of Parliament there would be a contest, to which the last contest would be mere child's play. This Government had a right to receive at the hands of the people a larger measure of support than any previous Government could claim. The Government, in acting as they had done, had taken their lives in their hands, and for their action in dismissing the heads of the Civil Service they would never be forgiven by the hitherto ruling classes. The Government, in dismissing these Civil servants, had determined to show the Legislative Council that they had to deal with men not children. It was blow for blow, and the consequences fell upon those whom the Council would dearly have liked to have saved.

Corrections.—In yesterday's Insolvency Court report, for "Henry Dare," read "Henry Dose." In the paragraph giving an account of the proceedings of the Linnean Society, and which we published on Tuesday, the name of the gentleman elected should have been "Mr. T. A. Tenison-Woods," not "Rev. J. E. Tenison-Woods." The latter gentleman has been an hon. corresponding member for some time past.

LATEST INTELLIGENCE.

[BY ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH.]

OUR SPECIAL TELEGRAM.

[From our London Correspondent.]

OBITUARY.

LONDON, May 28.

Lord John Russell.

LEGAL.

LONDON, May 28.

The decision of the Supreme Court of South Australia, in the case of Levi v. Ayers, had been upheld by the Privy Council.

[Reuter's Telegrams.]

PROSPECTS OF PEACE.

LONDON, May 28.

London papers are sanguine that European peace is now secured.

It is substantially confirmed that Prince Bismarck will preside at the European Congress; that England will be represented by the Marquis of Salisbury; Russia, by Count Schouvaloff; and Austria, by Count Andrassy.

NEGOTIATIONS WITH RUSSIA.

LONDON, May 27.

In the House of Commons, to-day, Sir Stafford Northcote, Chancellor of the Exchequer, in reply to a question, said that he was not at present prepared to give details of the negotiations which had recently been proceeding with Russia, but he was able to state that the prospects of the assembling of a European Congress were materially improved.

COUNT ANDRASSY AND THE EUROPEAN SITUATION.

VIENNA, May 28.

Count Andrassy states that even if Congress succeeds in removing the difficulties of the situation, complications are apprehended between the various border States of Turkey, owing to proposed changes.

THE RUSSIAN TROOPS.

CONSTANTINOPLE, May 28.

The Russian troops are falling back from the vicinity of Constantinople.

[From our own Correspondents.]

NEWCASTLE.

Wednesday.

The barque Queensland, owned by Mr. Clarence Hannell, of Newcastle, returned to port this morning leaking very badly. The vessel left Newcastle on Monday morning last for Bluff Harbour, with 450 tons coal. She met with a rough rolling sea, which apparently strained her, causing a leak to such an extent that the master deemed it prudent to return.

MAITLAND.

Wednesday.

Mr. Henry S. Badgery addressed the electors here last night, and was well received.

DUBBO.

Wednesday.

The racehorse Mikado fell this morning in a gallop by running against a bullock, and will probably not run in the approaching races.

BRISBANE.

Wednesday.

The Assembly committee on the Electoral Bill has resolved upon a new electorate returning a member. It is to consist of newly occupied country westward, and to be called "Gregory."

The Assembly adjourned at dusk, after the Treasurer had delivered his Budget. There is no alteration in the tariff or duties. Mr. Dickson finds the country in a fairly prosperous state, in spite of the drought. £180,000 must be provided during the ensuing twelve months from railway reserves for construction purposes of the various lines of the colony in the central and north-western districts.

The birthday ball at Government House to-night is crowded.

The Victoria (s.) shipped 18,313 oz. gold from Townsville and Cooktown.

In the recent collision on the river between the Clarence (s.) and the Schnapper, Captain Harley was exonerated by the Marine Board of all blame.

The Atjeh (s.) passed Cooktown yesterday.

Sailed.—Balclutha (s.), for Sydney.

MELBOURNE.

Wednesday.

Professor Pearson addressed the electors at Castlemaine to-night, and met with a good reception. He supported the Government, and applauded their action in the Civil Service dismissals. He condemned the Legislative Council, and while he thought the present land taxation required some amendment, he advocated a progressive land tax.

Mr. Berry, to-night, at Portland, spoke of new land legislation, limiting the quantity of land one man can hold. He also fulminated against the Opposition and the Press for what he termed gross misstatements in regard to his administration of affairs.

The steamer Lass of Gowrie, bound to Sydney, passed Cape Otway yesterday, 102 days out. The steamer Alert and two other vessels bound to this port are now overdue.

Antonio Ball, late station-master at Spencer-street, is committed for trial. Bail was allowed.

A fire at North Lancefield, to-day, destroyed a large hotel. The loss is estimated at £3000, which is partly insured.

The Ministry are still touring in the Western district.

QUEENSCLIFF.

Wednesday.

Arrived.—Wandering Chief, barque, from Batavia; Cingalese, barque, from Calcutta.

Sailed.—Duncan Coupland, ship, for Newcastle; Tullochgorum, three-masted-schooner, for Maryborough.

CAPE OTWAY.

Wednesday.

Passed.—At 10.30, British Commerce, ship, from Mauritius to Sydney, twenty-four days out.

[Reuter's Telegrams.]

MELBOURNE.

Wednesday.

A lively contest is anticipated at Castlemaine. Professor Pearson and Messrs. Chapman and Gaunson will be the candidates.

June 1st will be the last day upon which electors rights will be obtainable. The National Registration Society is exhibiting the rolls of the entire colony.

An influential meeting, presided over by Captain Standish, has resolved to present a testimonial to Mr. William Saurin Lyster, previous to his departure for Europe.

TASMANIA.

HOBART TOWN, Wednesday.

Tasmanian harbour defences are being vigorously pushed forward. Captain Boddam has arrived here under instructions from Colonel Scratchley, to superintend the works.

NEW ZEALAND.

WELLINGTON, Wednesday.

The Easby (s.) arrived to-day, after a long passage, due to head winds.

His Excellency the Governor goes to Christchurch to-morrow.

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SYDNEY MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.

The usual meeting of the Sydney Municipal Council was held at the Town Hall yesterday morning. Alderman Chapman (the Acting-Mayor) was in the chair, and there were present Aldermen Green, Roberts, Taylor, Maze, Fowler, O'Connor, Harris, Kippax, Carpenter, Young, and Palmer.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

PETITIONS.

Alderman ROBERTS presented a petition from residents in Macquarie-street for a lamp in Yurong-street. Alderman Fowler presented a petition from householders in Macdonald Town for water being laid on in that borough; one from residents in Denison-street, Newtown, for a water-main there; also from lessees of land in Crown Road for a water-main there. Alderman Harris presented a petition from ratepayers in Harris-street, for kerbing and guttering there. Alderman Palmer presented a petition from residents in Sussex-street for a lamp there. The petitions were received and set aside for consideration by the committees appointed to deal with the subjects to which they referred.

QUESTIONS.

The ACTING-MAYOR, in reply to Alderman Moore's question, said it was intended to offer all legal objections to encroachments on the road of George-street North, fronting Campbell's Wharf.

The ACTING-MAYOR, in reply to Alderman Taylor's questions, said the report of the City Surveyor regarding the site, cost, and plans of sale yards for small live stock would be brought up as early as possible. The by-laws to enable the Council to carry out the Nuisance Prevention Act of 1875 would be prepared by the following Thursday week.

The ACTING-MAYOR, in reply to Alderman Roberts, said the application of Mr. Hordern relative to a proposed awning in George-street would probably be considered on the following day. He also said, in reply to the same alderman, that the matter of placing a lamp near the Great Synagogue, should be brought forward by that gentleman in committee.

The ACTING-MAYOR, in reply to Alderman Fowler, said the Mayor of Camperdown had not applied for the key of a stand-pipe at Pyrmont.

ACCOUNTS.

The report of the Finance Committee, recommending the payment of sundry accounts, was adopted.

EARTH CLOSETS IN MACQUARIE-STREET AND AT CIRCULAR QUAY.

Alderman YOUNG, for Alderman Moore, moved,—"That the plans of earth closets proposed to be erected at Macquarie-street North and the Circular Quay, submitted by the Improvement Committee, be adopted and forwarded to the Government, with a request that the work may be carried out by them."

The motion was agreed to.

IMPROVEMENTS AT THE TOWN HALL AND MARKETS.

Alderman TAYLOR moved,—"That the City Architect be instructed to prepare plans and estimates, &c., for laying on gas at the Town Hall;" and,—"That the City Architect be instructed to bring up a report as to the probable cost of painting and cleaning George-street Markets, and to prepare a plan and estimates of a better system of urinal and water-closet accommodation for the use of the public at the said markets."

The motions were agreed to.

NEW WATERMAINS.

Alderman ROBERTS moved,—"That the report of the Water Committee, recommending that the watermain in Castlereagh-street, between Bathurst and Park streets, be relaid at a cost of £62, be adopted," and,—"That the report of the Water Committee, recommending the relaying of watermains in Stanley, Francis, Riley, Crown and Yurong streets, at a cost of £626, be adopted."

Alderman GREEN moved,—"That the report of the Water Committee, recommending that a 4-inch main be laid in Edgecliff Road, at a cost of £98, be adopted;" and —"That the report of the Water Committee, recommending that a 4-inch main be laid in place of the 3-inch in Wylde-street, at a cost of £76, be adopted."

Alderman FOWLER moved,—"That the report of the Water Committee, recommending that a 4-inch watermain be laid in Albert-street and Horbury-terrace, Newtown, at a cost of £110, be adopted."

The motions were agreed to.

PLUMBER'S LICENSE.

Alderman O'CONNOR moved—"That a city plumber's license be granted to Mr. John M'Fayden, 109, Liverpool-street."

The motion was agreed to.

THE EXHIBITION BUILDING.

Alderman MAZE moved—"That the City Architect report on the cost of painting and repairing the Exhibition building."

The motion was agreed to.

IMPROVEMENTS TO BAY-STREET.

On the motion of Alderman FOWLER, it was resolved to call for fresh tenders for ballasting Bay-street.

IMPROVEMENTS TO KELLETT LANE.

The tender of Philip Ronan, amounting to £48 10s., for ballasting Kellett-lane, was accepted.

DEEPENING DAWES' POINT BATHS.

Tenders were opened for deepening the Dawes' Point baths, but as they were much in excess of the estimate, and as it did not appear that there would be a reasonable return for the outlay, the consideration of them was postponed indefinitely.

WOOLLOOMOOLOO BATHS.

On the motion of Alderman YOUNG, the tender of Mr. E. Chowne, amounting to £1550, for repiling at the Woolloomooloo baths, was accepted.

The Council then adjourned.

COMMERCIAL.

WOOL SALES YESTERDAY.

By Messrs. Mort and Co.—Wool: C, 1 bag locks at 2½d per lb.; HRM, 1 wool and skins at 2½d; WF, 1 grease and washed at 6½d, 1 wool and skins at 5½d; CS, 3 grease at 8½d; KY, 3 skin wool at 2½d; HH over Greenwood Park, 1 fadge grease and scoured at 5½d; G, 1 bale fleece and grease at 10d; PQ over 2, 1 grease at 8d, 1 pieces at 4d; JH over TC over P, 1 lambs at 9½d; P, 1 wool and skins at 6½d; HGB, 1 grease at 8d; GB in diamond, 1 scoured at 9d, 9 at 13½d; Barraba over JC, 6 fleece at 14½d; GO, 5 handwashed at 9½d; HUNT, 5 grease at 8½d; 1 bellies at 5½d.; JDT, 5 grease at 8½d.; JP over Dirilah, 1 grease at 8d; GRE, 2 at 10d.; ER, 11 skin-wool at 4½d.; B over LX, 2 scoured at 16d; EH, 3 at 8½d; gB, 7 grease at 8½d.; 9 pieces and locks at 5d; PB, 3 skirts at 4½d; HGB, 2 bags at 2d; B, 1 bale grease at 10d; PP over G, 1 pocket grease at 10d; JT over A, 1 at 9½d; WAR, 1 bag at 11d. Sheepskins: P, 11 bundles at 5½d; HGB, 3 at 5d; GQ, 9 at 5d; addressed, 10 at 5d; no brand, 3 at 5½d; WEM, 1 bale at 4½d, 3 bundles at 7d; DC, 2 at 5½d; L, 7 at 5½d; EH, 20 at 6d; HF, 3 at 4½d, 2 at 3½d; HGB, 1 lot at 3d: Addressed, 1 bundle at 5½d, 1 lot at 2½d; BM, 3 bundles at 4½d, 1 at 4½d; TG, 8 at 5½d; TB, 6 at 5½d; KY, 4 at 4d; HRM, 1 bale at 5d, 3 at 3½d; B, 1 bundle at 4½d; E, 1 at 4½d; J, 1 at 3½d; E in diamond, 1 at 4½d; HPB, 4 at 5d; JAP conjoined over Queensland, 8 bales at 5d; diamond over CH, 2 bundles at 5½d; X, 2 at 2½d; M, 3 at 5d; WF, 1 at 4½d; GPL, 1 bale wool and skins at 4d; GP over M&Co, 1 bundle at 4½d; AQ, 1 at 3½d, 2 bags at 2d, 8 bundles at 5½d; GRE, 5 bales at 6½d, 1 lot at 4½d, 1 bale at 4½d, 1 bale wool and skins at 4½d.

By Mr. Bridge.—Wool: J over TC over N in diamond, 6 bales scoured firsts at 17½d, 1 seconds at 17½d, 3 thirds at 1½d; CY over W, 1 at 16½d; MEH, 6 fleece at 15½d; GY, 1 scoured at 13d, 1 at 12d; S, 1 at 15d; SSS, 5 at 13½d; S in diamond, 1 at 9½d; RB, 5 greasy at 7½d; BB, 1 greasy at 4d, 1 mixed at 4½; JD&MA, 12 skins at 6d; R, 1 at 6d; K, 2 washed skins at 7½d; X over BA, 1 skins at 5½d; KK, 3 at 5½d; JD over 2, 1 at 5½d; P&P, 2 at 5½d; W, lot at 5d; KD&Co, 9 at 4½d; H, 10 at 4½d; BA under X, 1 pelts at 3½d; GM., 1 at 3½d.

MINING MANAGERS' REPORTS.

CARROLL and Beard's G. M. Co.—Hill End, 28th May: Stoping south from shaft on No. 1 vein at 140-feet level. Stoping out north on No. 3 vein at 180-feet level. Stoping south on western vein at 230-feet level; have not broke down any stone this week; there are ten tons of quartz at surface.

Krohmann's mine: Back-stoping No. 2 vein north of shaft at 110-feet level. Surface tunnel at 120-feet level has been put in a further distance of 4 feet, making the present length of tunnel 17 feet from shaft. Stoping out north on western vein at 240-feet level. Three tons of stone raised this week; it shows a little gold. Eleven tons of quartz at surface.

Beyers and Holtermann's G. M. Co.—Hill End, 27th May: The winze shaft in the 90-feet crosscut has been put down a further distance of 5 feet since my last report, making the total depth to date 12 feet; the vein is 1¼ inch thick, and looks like 1 oz. stone. The south drive has been extended 5 feet this week, making the length from crosscut 35 feet. I have no change to report in the size of the vein. The drive being put in north alongside of the vein in the crosscut at 175-feet level, has been driven 2½ feet further, making its present length 25 feet. I have not taken down the quartz this week. Stone raised since my last, 2 tons, making total quantity on plat 12 tons.

MELBOURNE LIVE STOCK MARKET.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

WEDNESDAY.

Messrs. Ryan and Hammond report 1700 fat cattle penned, and market down fully 10s. Prime bullocks made from £9 10s to £10 15s; prime cows, £6 10s to £7 10s. We sold 80 bullocks. 11,600 fat sheep forward, and market slightly better. Prime crossbred made from 18s 6d to 15s, and a few 21s; prime ewes, 14s to 15s; prime merino wethers, 14s 6d to 16s; prime ewes, 11s to 12s 6d. We sold 900 crossbred wethers at 17s 9d.

Messrs. R. Gibson and Co. report 1700 fat cattle forward, and the lowest market of the year. Prices are again down 10s per head. We sold 300. 12,000 fat sheep yarded, and prices are unaltered. Best merino wethers brought 14s 6d to 16s. We sold 8000, including 2000 from Darsby Oxley station.

Messrs. Powers, Rutherford, and Co. report 1700 cattle yarded, which sold at a reduction of from 10s to 20s. We disposed of 150 from the Upper Murray and Gippsland. 11,850 sheep yarded and prices rather better for merinos, but crossbreds were hardly up to late rates.

Messrs. J. C. Walker and Co. report 1700 cattle yarded. Best bullocks sold at £11; prices are 10s under last week. 11,600 sheep penned, and prices slightly better. Best crossbred wethers sold at 20s, and merinos 16s. We sold 1800 ewes and wethers up to 16s.

Mrs. Dalmahoy Campbell, Hepburn, and Co. report 1700 cattle penned, the majority being good and useful. There was a dull market with a decline of from 10s to 15s per head. 11,000 sheep penned; best merinoes are a shade higher.

Messrs. King and Cuningham report 1700 cattle yarded and prices down £1. Prime sold at £9 to £10 10s; and good, £7 10s to £8 10s. We sold 350 Gippsland and Colac. Sheep are up 6d.

Stations.	Wind.	Max.	Min.	Rain.
Tenterf'ld	b	65	43	0
Grafton	b	79	52	0
Inverell	b	63	33	0
Bourke	b	75	51	0
Narrabri	b	73	45	0
Armidale	b	60	37	0
Gunnedah	..	..	..	--
Tamworth	..	..	..	..
P. Macqrie	a	69	50	0
Murr'undi	b	63	50	0
Cassilis	b	70	34	0
Mus'brook	b	68	40	0
Dubbo	f	65	53	0
Mudgee	i	75	33	0
Maitland	b	63	43	0
Newcastle	b	63	49	0
Orange	n	57	33	0
Bathurst	f	64	32	0
MtVictoria	b	57	40	0
Forbes	b	60	47	0
Sydney	c	63	48	0·01
Wentw'th	c	73	38	0
Young	b	62	37	0
Woll'gong	b	65	46	0
Moss Vale	..	..	..	--
Euston	b	77	35	0
Goulburn	..	..	..	--
Wagga	n	65	23	0
Cape Geo.	b	64	51	0
Queanb'an	n	61	37	0
Deniliquin	b	69	42	0
Albury	c	64	42	0
Bodalla	b	65	35	0
Cooma	n	60	28	0
Eden	b	60	47	0
Gabo Isl.	b	61	51	0

WEATHER MAP.

29 MAY, 1878.—9 A.M.

COMPILED FROM TELEGRAMS,

BY H. C. RUSSELL,

GOVERNMENT ASTRONOMER.

South Australia: Generally fine, squally at Cape Borda, rain 0.17. Victoria: Generally fine, light rains fell on the coast last night. New South Wales: Fine throughout, barometers falling a little, weather milder. 3 p.m. Observations.—Victoria: Barometers steady, winds moderate, N.W., very fine, sea smooth on the coast. New South Wales: Riverina, very fine, winds N.W; Eden, N.E., 14, fine, little sea; Cape George, N 14, fine, sea smooth; Sydney, barometers steady, N.W., 10, very fine, sea smooth; Newcastle, calm, fine, sea smooth; Port Macquarie, S.E., 1, fine, sea smooth; Clarence River, S.W., 20, fine, sea smooth.—May 29.

ASTRONOMICAL MEMORANDA FOR MAY 30.—Sun rises at 6.11 sets at 4.58; moon rises at 5.12 a.m., sets 3.10 p.m.; Mercury, 6.0 a.m., 3.48 p.m.; Venus, 3.25 a.m., 2.43 p.m.; Mars, 9.48 a.m., 7.26 p.m.; Jupiter, 9.12 p.m., 10.50 a.m.; Saturn, 1.32 a.m., 1.38 p.m. New moon, 2nd; full moon, 17th. High water at Port Denison.—6.41 a.m.; 7.5 p.m.

ABSTRACT OF SALES BY AUCTION THIS DAY.

G. KISS.—At the Bazaar, at 11 and 12, Horses, Vehicles, &c.; at the Camperdown Yards, at 2, Horses.

BRUNKER, WOLFE, AND BADGERY.—At Homebush, at 11, Fat Cattle and Sheep; at Ellis and Co.'s Yards, at 3, Fat Cattle and Calves.

W. FULLAGAR.—At Homebush, at 11, Fat Cattle.

G. M. PITT AND SON.—At Homebush, at 11, Fat Cattle; at Ellis and Co.'s Yards, at 12, Fat Sheep.

SULLIVAN AND SIMPSON.—At Homebush, at 11, Fat Cattle.

HARRISON, JONES, AND DEVLIN.—At Homebush, at 11, Fat Cattle and Sheep; at Ellis and Co.'s Yards, at 2.30, Fat Sheep; at Chamber of Commerce, at 2, Sheepskins; at 2.30, Wool.

MAIDEN, HILL, AND CLARK.—At Homebush, at 11, Fat Sheep; at Chamber of Commerce, at 2, Sheepskins; at 2.30, Wool.

W. INGLIS.—At the Yards, at 12, Cows, Calves, &c.; at 1, Sheep, Pigs, &c.; at 3.30, Sheep and Cattle.

H. L. DUNN.—On the premises, 14, St. George's Parade, Waterloo, at 10, Household Furniture and Effects, Glassware, &c.; at his Rooms, at 11, Clothing, &c.; at 2, Jewellery, &c.

C. MOORE AND CO.—At their Rooms, at 11, Clothing, Cottons, Hosiery, &c.; at 12.15, Grey Mexicans and Domestics, Anti-Rheumatics, &c.

L. E. THRELKELD AND CO.—At their Rooms, at 11, Corrugated Iron, Trunks, Bonnet Boxes, Holloware, Wire Nails, &c.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, AND LAMB.—At their Rooms, at 11, Ironmongery, Cordage, Mantelpieces, &c.

C. TEAKLE.—At his Rooms, at 11, Wire Nails, &c.

W. PRITCHARD.—At his Rooms, at 11, Cottage and Stabling, Camperdown Road; Houses, Windsor; Land, near Liverpool; Land, Parramatta Road; Houses, Bullanaming-street; Cottage and Land, Redfern; Land, Petersham; on the Ground, Pitt-street, at 3, Building Materials.

MILLS AND PILE.—At their Rooms, at 11.30, Land, Erskineville, St. Leonards, Manly, Parramatta River, Government Debentures; House, Woolloomooloo.

GILCHRIST, STUBBS, AND WESTON.—At their Rooms, at 11, Firearms, American Doors, Jewellery, Watches, Opera-glasses, &c.

H. VAUGHAN.—On the premises, 39, Goulburn-street, at 11, Stock-in-trade, Leather, Sewing-machines, &c.

ELLIS AND CO.—At their Yards, at 11.30, Pigs, &c.; at 12.30, Milch Cows, &c.

DENT AND HOSKIN.—At Darling Harbour, at 10, Wood.

W. TINDALE.—At Darling Harbour, at 10, Wood.

WELLS AND SMITH.—At Darling Harbour, at 10, Wood.

F. L. BARKER.—At the Chamber of Commerce, at 2, Sheepskins; at 2.30, Wool.

C. CARR AND CO.—At their Rooms, at 11, Clothing, Tweed, Watches, &c.

S. PROCTER.—At his Mart, at 11, Teas, Sugars, Oilmen's Stores, Piano, Household Furniture, and Effects.

A. MOORE AND CO.—At the Mart, at 11, Drapery, Boots, Jewellery, Watches, &c.

C. R. BEDWELL AND CO.—At their Yards, at 12, Calves, Lambs, &c.; at 12, Pigs, &c.; at 1.30, Dairy Produce.

UNRESERVED sale of drapery, clothing, dress goods, cottons, shirts, shirtings, hosiery, &c., at 11; and damaged greys and flannels at a quarter-past 12, at the rooms of Messrs. Chas. Moore and Co., 167, Pitt-street, this day.

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NORTH SHORE.—For SALE, by order of the trustees of the estate of the late William Lawson, sen., Esq., that commodious stone-built RESIDENCE, off William-street, St. Leonards, known as Observatory Villa, containing 8 rooms, with outside kitchen, shed, &c., also garden ground in front and rear.

The position of this property is remarkably good. The house commands extensive views of the harbour and of the surrounding country.

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FOREST LODGE.—For SALE, Blairdrummond COTTAGE, Pyrmont Bridge Road, Forest Lodge, Glebe. It is substantially built of brick on stone foundation, slated roof; it is tastefully finished, verandah, hall, 4 rooms, kitchen, and bath-room; town water laid on; stands on 75 x 193 feet of land; price, £1100. May be inspected any day between 12 noon and 6 o'clock evening. Close by 'bus stand, Forest Lodge.

FOR SALE, those two substantial HOUSES, Nos. 15 and 16, Gross-street, Glebe, suitable for respectable families. Also, a HOUSE, situated No. 37, Railway-place, substantially built, and close to the station. For particulars apply to Mr. JAMES M'MANAMEY, Pyrmont Bridge Road, Forest Lodge; or to WM. HEZLETT, No. 117, Sussex-street.

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ROOKWOOD.—The unsold Villa Sites in the BRIXTON ESTATE are now open for SALE privately, upon the same liberal terms as those sold by auction, viz.:—10 per cent. cash deposit, balance by 18 monthly payments of 5 per cent. WITHOUT INTEREST. The soil is good, the elevation all that can be desired, and the subdivision liberal. See lithographs, which may be obtained, with price, &c., of Jackson and Peek, 267, Geo.-st.

FOR SALE, two HOUSES, Pitt-street, Redfern, each containing 6 rooms and bath-room, built of brick on stone, 20 feet by 100 each; will be sold together or separately. EDWIN BERRY, 4, Elton-place, Pitt-street, Redfern.

REDFERN.—Building Allotments, Wellington and Elizabeth sts, S., for residue of 99 years. J. Schimel.

PARRAMATTA.—For SALE (within the city boundary), 4½ acres of excellent LAND, w. b. Cottage, 6 rooms, orchard, with about 300 fruit trees; 15 minutes' easy walk from station. Jackson and Peek, 267, George-street.

ALLOTMENTS, 5 minutes' from Croydon Station, 35s per foot; terms, a deposit, and £2 17s per quarter.

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A TWO-ROOMED COTTAGE for SALE, £50. Apply J. BODEN, Cameron-street, Double Bay.

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FARMS WITHIN TEN MILES OF SYDNEY, as under:—

BANKSTOWN.—No. 1.—Frontage to the Liverpool Road, 14 acres, with good 4-roomed Cottage, in thorough repair, with detached kitchen, barn, stable, and other out-buildings; garden, with orange trees in full bearing; all well fenced, and divided into paddocks; £700.

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COTTAGES, Houses, and Allotments for SALE; terms. W. DOUGLASS, 79, King-street.

MR. ANDREW TORNING has for SALE, a new COTTAGE, 4 rooms; £25 cash, balance in monthly payments, or the balance on mortgage at 8 per cent. per annum. Also, two 5-roomed HOUSES, with bath-house, bath, city water, large yard; back entrance, elegantly fitted, double balconies, and every convenience for respectable family; on easy terms. Key to view, and every particular by applying No. 31, Elizabeth-street, Waterloo; or, O'Connell-street, Sydney.

FOR SALE, 3 acres of the best Brick LAND, at Marrickville, without stone, fenced, and house on it. Sample bricks at rooms. J. W. WATKIN, Temperance Hall.

FOR SALE, the few remaining ALLOTMENTS, Raper's Paddock, Newtown, fronting the Camperdown Road; two corner Allotments—the best situation in Newtown for an inn, none being in the neighbourhood.

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SPLENDID INVESTMENT.—For SALE, a really good, thoroughly substantial, well-built block of City Property, in a first-class position, and thorough repair; price, £2400. Terms easy. Title A1. Shorter, 174, Pitt-st.

REDFERN. — For Sale, well-built COTTAGE, 4 rooms, stable, &c. J. G. READ, 494, George-street.

£100 DEPOSIT and 60 monthly payments of £10 each, without interest, will purchase a well-built, beautifully situate two-story 6-roomed Brick House, at Paddington, containing hall, drawing and dining room, with folding doors, bedrooms, kitchen, &c. J. W. WATKIN, Auctioneer, Temperance Hall.

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AMERICAN BUGGIES of every design, Sociables, and Express Waggons from Builders of highest reputation in the United States, built expressly to suit requirements of the colony, under special instructions. These vehicles constantly in stock, and regular shipments on the way. BARRON, MOXHAM and CO., Importers of every description of American Merchandise. Stores and Offices—York-street, Wynyard-square. Every vehicle bears our plate as importers, to serve as guarantee.

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BUGGIES, SOCIABLES, WAGGONS, &c. The largest and cheapest assortment of Buggies in the colony always in stock. A first prize was awarded to our varnished Hampshire buggy and buggy materials at the last (1878) Exhibition. KEAREY, BROTHERS, Coachbuilders, 290, Pitt-street.

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STYLISH New American double-seat Hooded BUGGY, £50; Abbott's Hooded Tray Buggy, £40. Knight.

DOUBLE-SEAT Buggy and Harness, £32; Single-seat hooded Buggy, £28; buggy Sociable, £35. Knight.

FOR PRIVATE SALE, the blood-stallion KING OF THE WEST, by Gemma di Vergy (imported) from Princess, dam of Rangitira and Viscount. For particulars apply to T. S. CLIBBORN, Castlereagh-street.

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HANDSOME American BUGGY and Chestnut HORSE for SALE, with HARNESS, &c., complete—one of the finest turnouts in Sydney. Apply to WALLACE, King-street.

PAIR Bay stylish Buggy Horses, £40; well-bred Bay Saddle Horse, £15; Buggy Horse. WOOLLER'S.

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WANTED to sell a very handsome Piebald PONY, Saddle, and Bridle, suitable for a boy; goes in harness. Apply at GARDNER'S Lime Depot, Druitt-street.

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FOR SALE, strong saddle HORSE, cheap. PIERCE, William-street.

HORSE, new Spring-cart, and new Harness, £27; Van and Harness, £11. M'CARTY and CO.

BROWN, first-class buggy HORSE, £16; Chestnut, upstanding phaeton or buggy Horse, £25; quiet buggy Cob, £10; spring-cart Horse, £9; first-class Hack, good paces, £16. M'CARTY, Castlereagh-street.

NEW Tray BUGGY, £50, warranted; 16 new Spring-carts, £15; new Waggon, £33; extension-top Buggy, £33; strong Buggy, £35; new English and American buggy Harness. E. M'Carty and Co., 235, Castlereagh-st.

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PAIR Carriage HORSES, 15½ hands; pair buggy Horses, good cab and van horse. E. Mandelson.

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AMERICAN Buggies of all descriptions, Sociables, Cut-unders, Hampshires, Concords, Waggons, Trays, Queen's Phaetons, Iver's Waggons, with and without tops. FITZGERALD and COLLINS, 297, Castlereagh-street.

AUCTION SALES.

Horses, Vehicles, and Harness

GEORGE KISS will sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, all lots not specially advertised; and at 12 o'clock, all lots specially advertised. Regular sales at the Bazaar daily, and at Camperdown any afternoon.

Two Fresh Country Horses.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from John Lackey, Esq., Moss Vale, to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt and Castlereagh streets, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,

A bay gelding, 15.3, thoroughly broken to single and double harness, sound, quiet, and a good match horse.

Also,

A chestnut gelding, 16 hands, ditto ditto ditto.

Handsome Pair of Carriage Horses.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt and Castlereagh streets, on FRIDAY next, at 12 o'clock,

A handsome pair of bay geldings, 16 hands, a good match, stanch and quiet, and go well together.

The above are the property of a lady who has no further use for them.

LONDON BUILT LANDAU.

A Pair of Horses (16 hands) and Harness.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt and Castlereagh streets, on FRIDAY next, 31st instant, at 12 o'clock,

A really first-class pair of bay carriage horses, 16 hands high, six and eight years old.

Also,

A London made Landau and harness.

The horses are very stanch and quiet, both in single and double harness, and good goers, and can be highly recommended.

Horse, Buggy, and Harness.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,

A black gelding, good in harness

A double-seated buggy, break, lamps, &c., complete

An excellent set of harness.

Handsome Pony.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,

A bay pony colt, 2 years old, by Shanghai (imported Arab), out of Totty (a prize pony mare). She is broken to saddle.

First-class Hack.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, Thursday, at 12 o'clock,

A handsome grey gelding, well-bred, broken to saddle, and a first-class hack. He is by Vanguard.

Heavy Draught Horses, from Wagga Wagga.

At the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Henry Beattie, Esq., Wagga Wagga, to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt and Castlereagh streets, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,

Seven head of first-class draught horses, all subject to Pruitt-street trials.

Horse, Buggy, and Harness.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from the executors in the estate of the late J. Fisher to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, on FRIDAY next, at 12 o'clock,

A chestnut gelding, 4 years old, broken to saddle and harness.

Also,

A single-seated buggy and harness.

Horse, Single-seated Tray Buggy, and Harness.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by auction at the Bazaar, Pitt and Castlereagh streets, on FRIDAY next, at 12 o'clock,

A handsome grey gelding, broken to saddle and harness.

Also,

A tray buggy (built by Halley) and harness.

HORSES. HORSES. HORSES.

HEAVY and GRAND DRAUGHT HORSES.
30 SUPERIOR SOUTH COUNTRY HORSES.

WILLIAM INGLIS has received instructions from W. J. M'Connell, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Yards, on FRIDAY next, May 31, at 2 o'clock,

30 SPLENDID HEAVY and GRAND DRAUGHT HORSES, in first-class condition, by the celebrated imported sires CONQUEROR, SHAKESPERE, and HERO.

The particular attention of DRAY PROPRIETORS, VANMEN, and all other buyers of FIRST-CLASS heavy draught horses is directed to the above, which are the last lot from Mr. M'Connell this season, and fully equal to any previously sent by him, which have invariably given every satisfaction to their purchasers.

SULLIVAN and SIMPSON have received instructions from Walter Douglass, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Homebush Yards, THIS DAY, the 30th instant, at 11 o'clock,

200 head of really prime and weighty fat bullocks, in lots, from his noted Inveralochy Estate (not by rail).

GARLING and FRASER have received instructions from T. Macgregor, Esq., to sell by auction, at their Yards, 776, George-street South, Haymarket, on SATURDAY next, at 10 o'clock,

Black pony, broken to saddle and harness, a useful sort, and very quiet.

GARLING and FRASER have received instructions from Mr. Gordon to sell by auction, at their Yards, 776, George-street South, Haymarket, on SATURDAY next, at 10 o'clock,

Bay gelding, 6 years old, thoroughly stanch and a good goer, fit for van or cab.

GARLING and FRASER have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Yards, 776, George-street, on SATURDAY next, at 10 o'clock,

10 head useful saddle and harness horses

Twenty Horses, Broken and Unbroken.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from N. T. Payten, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Yards, THIS DAY, at 2 o'clock,

20 head of horses, broken and unbroken; suitable for light and heavy harness.

N.B.—The trucks for conveyance of above having been at length secured, the horses will be at Camperdown this day without fail.

Fat Cattle. Fat Calves.

BRUNKER, WOLFE, and BADGERY have received instructions to sell by auction, at Ellis and Co.'s Yards, George-street, THIS DAY, at 3 o'clock,

25 head of prime fat cattle

35 prime fat calves.

Terms, cash.

BRUNKER, WOLFE, and BADGERY have received instructions from G. Gilbert, Esq., to sell by auction, at Homebush, THIS DAY, the 30th May, at 11 o'clock,

40 prime fat cattle, from splendid paddocks and very ripe.

Terms, cash.

BRUNKER, WOLFE, and BADGERY have received instructions from Messrs. J. and A. Badgery, to sell by auction, at Homebush, THIS DAY, the 30th May, at 11 o'clock,

130 prime fat cattle, from their noted Burra Estate.

Terms, cash.

Butchers. Butchers. Butchers.

MR. W. FULLAGAR has received instructions from Mr. B. Richards to sell, at his Yards, Homebush, THIS DAY, 30th instant, at 11 o'clock,

206 bullocks, from Yaraldool, prime and weighty.

G. M. PITT and SON have received instructions from J. Slocombe, Esq., to sell by auction, THIS DAY, 30th instant, at the Homebush Yards, at 11 o'clock,

50 prime fat bullocks, in lots, per train.

FAT LAMBS. FAT LAMBS.

G. M. PITT and SON have received instructions from J. M'Nish, Esq., to sell by auction, THIS DAY, Thursday, at Ellis and Co.'s Yards, at 12 o'clock noon,

80 prime fat lambs, in lots.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN have been instructed by D. Robertson, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Yards, Homebush, THIS DAY, 30th May, at 11 o'clock,

Prime fat bullocks, from his noted Murrumbidgee paddocks, by rail.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN have been instructed by T. L. Robinson, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Yards, Homebush, THIS DAY, 30th May, at 11 o'clock,

70 fat bullocks from his noted Kimo paddocks, Murrumbidgee, by rail, and represented very prime.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN have been instructed by C. J. West, Esq., to sell by auction, at Ellis and Co.'s Yards, THIS DAY, 30th May, at half-past 2 o'clock,

100 prime fat lambs.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN have been instructed by F. F. Gibson, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Yards, Homebush, THIS DAY, 30th May, at 11 o'clock.

1000 prime fat wethers.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN have been instructed by J. Jenkins, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Yards, Homebush, THIS DAY, 30th May, at 11 o'clock,

1015 prime and weighty fat wethers, from his noted Nangus paddocks, by rail.

MAIDEN, HILL, and CLARK have received instructions from H. Ricketson, Esq., to sell by auction, at Homebush, THIS DAY, the 30th instant, at 11 o'clock,

2500 prime fat wethers, from his Barratta station, Riverina, trucked from Cootamundra, and represented 54 lbs., and prime quality.

FAT SHEEP. FAT SHEEP.

WILLIAM INGLIS has received instructions from F. F. Gibson, Esq., to sell by auction, at his Stock Sale Yards, 793, George-street, THIS DAY, Thursday, at half-past 3 o'clock,

150 exceedingly prime and weighty crossbred fat ewes.

FAT CATTLE. FAT CALVES. FAT CATTLE.

WILLIAM INGLIS has received instructions from Messrs. Cooper, Brothers, Lake George, to sell by auction, at his Stock Sale Yards, 793, George-street, THIS DAY, Thursday, at half-past 3 o'clock,

20 very prime paddock-fed fat cattle.

Also, at 1 o'clock,

30 exceedingly prime fat calves.

FAT CATTLE. FAT CATTLE.

WILLIAM INGLIS has received instructions from P. Byrne, Esq., Breadalbane, to sell by auction, at his Stock Sale Yards, THIS DAY, Thursday, at half-past 3 o'clock,

20 very prime paddock-fed fat cattle.

FAT LAMBS. FAT LAMBS.

WILLIAM INGLIS has received instructions from T. Lewis, Esq., Kingsdale Estate, to sell by auction, at his Stock Sale Yards, 793, George-street, THIS DAY, Thursday, at 1 o'clock,

120 exceedingly prime fat lambs.

STORE PIGS. STORE PIGS.

WILLIAM INGLIS has received instructions from Messrs. J. and A. Stevenson, Oberon, to sell by auction at his Stock Sale Yards, THIS DAY, Thursday, at 1 o'clock,

100 store pigs.

Butchers. Butchers. Butchers.

MR. W. FULLAGAR has received instructions from W. F. Buchanan, Esq., to sell at his Yards, Homebush, THIS DAY, Thursday, 30th May,

50 prime fat cattle.

F. L. BARKER will sell by auction, at the Chamber of Commerce, at 2 o'clock, Sheepskins; 2.30, Wool.

WOOL SALE.

MAIDEN, HILL, and CLARK will sell by auction, at the Chamber of Commerce, THIS DAY, Thursday, at 2 o'clock sharp,

Sheepskins.

At half-past 2,

Bales wool.

Terms, cash.

Tobacco Leaf. Tobacco Leaf.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN will sell by auction, at their Produce Stores, Circular Quay, on FRIDAY, at 11 o'clock sharp,

20 bales tobacco leaf.

Terms, cash.

Weekly Wool Sale.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN will sell by auction, at the Chamber of Commerce, THIS DAY, Thursday, 30th May, at 2 o'clock,

Sheepskins.

And at half-past 2 o'clock,

220 bales of wool.

Terms, cash.

WELLS and SMITH will sell by auction, at Darling Harbour, THIS DAY, at 10 o'clock,

Wood, posts and rails, &c.

WELLS and SMITH will sell by auction, at their Yards, 675, George-street, TO-MORROW, at half past 2 o'clock,

Dead pigs

Cows, calves, fat and store pigs

100 coops fowls, ducks, turkeys, geese

At 1 o'clock,

100 boxes butter, 170 boxes eggs

Cheese, bacon, honey, jams, &c.

At 2 o'clock,

200 cases oranges and lemons

75 bags Bathurst potatoes.

DENT and HOSKIN will sell by auction, at Darling Harbour, THIS DAY, at 10, Billet wood, &c.

W. TINDALE will sell, at Darling Harbour, 10 o'clock, Billet wood, posts and rails, &c.

WEEKLY STOCK SALE.

WILLIAM INGLIS will sell by auction THIS DAY, Thursday, at his Sale Yards, 793, George-street, at 11 o'clock,

40 very superior milch cows, springers, and dry cattle.

At 1 o'clock sharp,

30 exceedingly prime fat calves, from Messrs. Cooper Bros., Lake George

45 ditto ditto, from Liverpool, Penrith, and Sutton Forest

120 exceedingly prime fat lambs, from T. Lewis, Esq., Kingsdale Estate

100 ditto ditto, from C. J. West, Esq., Macquarie Plains

110 corn-fed porkers from Picton, Camden, and Menangle

100 store pigs, from Messrs. J. and A. Stevenson, Oberon.

At half-past 3 o'clock.

50 head prime fat cattle, as specially advertised

150 fat sheep ditto ditto.

Calves. Lambs. Pigs.

C. R. BEDWELL and CO. will sell by auction, at their Yards, 785, George-street, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,

Fat calves, lambs, pigs.

C. R. BEDWELL and CO. will sell by auction, at their Yards, TO-MORROW, at half-past 12 o'clock,

Calves, lambs, pigs.

At 1 o'clock,

Poultry, butter, bacon, hams, cheese, eggs

STOCK SALE. STOCK SALE.

ELLIS and CO. will sell by auction, at their Yards, 763, George-street South, THIS DAY, at half-past 11 o'clock,

Fat calves, lambs, pigs, &c.

80 prime fat calves, per rail

20 ditto ditto, per steamer

30 ditto ditto lambs, from W. Longly, Esq.

100 ditto ditto ditto, per rail

100 ditto ditto pigs, per rail

20 ditto ditto ditto, from J. O. Atkinson, Esq.

50 ditto ditto ditto, per steamer.

At half-past 12 o'clock,

10 first-class milch cows, per rail

Springers, dry cattle, &c.

ELLIS and CO. have received instructions from Messrs. R. and P. O'Reilly to sell by auction, at their Yards, 763, George-street South, THIS DAY, at half-past 11 o'clock,

100 really prime cornfed porkers, per rail.

Under a Bill of Sale.

To Grocers, Storekeepers, and General Dealers.

Positive Unreserved Sale.

SEAFORTH PROCTER has received instructions from Mr. C. H. Lenehan to sell by auction, at his Mart, 701, George-street South, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock,

The entire stock of a grocer's shop, removed under a bill of sale to the Mart for convenience of sale, and comprising

Teas, sugars, coffee, oilman's stores, salmon

Fish, sardines, jams, preserved milk, vinegar

Matches, tobacco, cigars, scales and weights

Also,

Piano, household furniture and effects.

Terms, cash. No reserve.

Insolvent Estate of William Henry Wicks.

THIS DAY, 30th instant, at 11 o'clock.

STOCK-IN TRADE of a Boot and Upper Manufacturer, consisting of LEATHER, Uppers, Elastic, Sewing-Machine, Blocking Machine, &c.

H. VAUGHAN has received instructions from the official assignee to sell by auction, on the premises, No. 39, Goulburn-street,

The above, without reserve.

THIS DAY, at 10 o'clock.

On the premises, No. 14, St. George's Parade, Elizabeth-street, Waterloo, near Albert Ground.

Superior Household Furniture and Effects, comprising

Centre and Dining Tables, Couches, Chairs

Sideboards, Chiffoniers, Safes

4-Post Iron Bedsteads, H. H. Mattresses, and Bedding

Chests of Drawers, Washstands and Sets

Carpets, Oilcloths, Cutlery, and Platedware

Hand-painted Vases, Oil Paintings, Pictures

Crockery and Glassware, Kitchen Utensils, &c.

H. L. DUNN has received instructions to sell by auction, on the above premises, THIS DAY, at 10 o'clock,

The above, without reserve.

UNREDEEMED PLEDGES.

H. L. DUNN will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 204, Pitt-street, THIS DAY,

The unredeemed pledges pawned with Mr. Daly, of Queen's-place, Balmain. Clothing, &c., at 11 o'clock; sundries and jewellery, at 2.

C. CARR and CO. will sell by auction, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, at their Rooms, 99, King-street.

Clothing, tweeds, gold and silver watches, rings, alberts, chains, cabinets, workboxes, pipes, and sundries.

On FRIDAY, MAY 31, at 11 o'clock.

At the Labour Bazaar Auction Mart, Pitt-street.

A large quantity of TIMBER, &c., comprising pine boards, scantling, doors, sashes, forms, tables, &c.

ALEXANDER MOORE and Co. have received instructions to sell by public auction, on FRIDAY, May 31, at 11 o'clock, at the Mart, Pitt-street.

The above.

New and Second-hand Clothing, Drapery, Boots, Jewellery, Gold and Silver Watches, &c.

ALEXANDER MOORE and CO. will sell by public auction, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, at the Mart, Pitt-street.

The above.

FRIDAY, 31st instant, at 11 o'clock,

on the premises,

Derwent-street, Glebe, near St. John's Road.

SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,

consisting of

DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, covered in rep

DINING ROOM SUITE, covered in morocco leather

Cottage Pianoforte, by Schwechten of Berlin

Sideboards, Chiffoniers, Loo Tables

Pier Glass, Carpets, Oilcloth

Engravings, Chest Drawers, Chairs, Tables

Marble Washstands, Toilet Ware, Dressing Glasses

Bedsteads, Bedding, China, Crockery

Glassware, E. P. Ware, Cutlery, Ornaments

Books, Clocks, Fender and Irons

Cooking Utensils, and Sundries.

ALEXANDER COOPER has received instructions from E. G. Staniforth, Esq., to sell by public auction, on the premises, on FRIDAY, at 11 o'clock,

The above, without reserve.

Also,

Splendid horse, buggy, and harness.

Now on view.

TO THE BOOT AND SHOE TRADE, GRINDERY and LEATHER DEALERS, &c., &c.

EXTENSIVE and IMPORTANT BOOT and SHOE SALE.

Landed in excellent condition ex Juno and Min-y-don.

JONES'S.

Men's Calf, Morocco, and Kid, E. S., stout and light substance.

SIMON WOOLF'S.

Women's Lasting Excelsiors, M.H., toe caps

Ditto ditto ditto, M.H., plain.

COOK'S.

Women's Levant E.S., vamps, toes, M. H.

11 to 1, 7 to 10, 4 to 6 same kind, and with high patent vamps.

SNOW AND BENNETT'S.

Women's Lasting E. S., M. H., toe caps

Ditto ditto E. S., M.H., toe caps, hessians

Ditto ditto, E. S., M.H., toe caps, hessians, fancy stitchings.

NATHAN JOSEPH'S.

Women's Lasting E. S., toe caps, M. H.

Maids' ditto, toe caps, M. H.

Women's Levant Alpine, lace and button

11 to 1, 7 to 10, and 4 to 6, morocco various.

AMERICAN MANUFACTURE.

Women's Kid and Morocco High-leg Congress Boots

Ditto ditto Newport E.S., fancy fronts

Ditto ditto and Morocco Saratoga Button and other makes

3 Cases SUPERIOR FRENCH CALF

1 Case FRANCE'S PATENT NON-SLIPPING ELASTIC WEB

1 Case of ASSORTED GRINDERY.

L. E. THRELKELD and CO. have been favoured with instructions from the Importers to sell by auction, at the City Mart, on FRIDAY, 31st May, at 11 o'clock precisely,

The above.

Buyers will kindly attend punctually.

Terms, liberal.

GALVANIZED CORRUGATED IRON, 6 to 9 feet, just landed in splendid order and condition.

Day of Sale, THURSDAY.

L. E. THRELKELD and CO. will sell by auction, THIS DAY, May 30th, at 11 o'clock,

Invoice of galvanized C iron, 6 to 9 feet lengths.

Full particulars at sale.

Terms at sale.

HOLLOWARE, just landed.

For Positive Sale,

THURSDAY, May 30, at 11 o'clock.

L. E. THRELKELD and CO. will sell by auction at their Rooms, THIS DAY, May 30, at 11 o'clock,

30 hogsheads holloware.

Full particulars at sale.

Terms at sale.

FRENCH WIRE NAILS (assorted), just landed.

On account of whom it may concern.

THURSDAY, May 30, at 11 o'clock.

L. E. THRELKELD and CO. will sell by auction, at their Rooms, THIS DAY, May 30, at 11 o'clock,

With all faults,

50 kegs French wire nails.

Terms, cash.

ENGLISH TRUNKS
BONNET BOXES,
FOR POSITIVE UNRESERVED SALE,
on account of whom it may concern.

L. E. THRELKELD and CO. will sell by auction, at their Rooms, THIS DAY, May 30, at 11 o'clock,

Balance of invoice ditto.

13 nests Manchesters } slightly

11 ditto best servants } damaged

3 ditto §2 Scarborough } sound.

9 ditto oval bonnet boxes }

Terms at sale.

GALVANIZED CORRUGATED IRON, 6 to 9 feet, just landed, ex Abergeldie.

For Positive Sale,

on account of whom it may concern.

Day of Sale, THURSDAY.

L. E. THRELKELD and CO. will sell by auction, THIS DAY, May 30th, at 11 o'clock,

30 cases galvanized corrugated iron, 6 to 9 feet.

Terms at sale.

THURSDAY, 30th May, at 11 a.m.

EXTENSIVE SALE OF GENERAL IRONMONGERY.

Comprising

WROUGHT NAILS

FENCING STAPLES

SHOE NAILS

GRINDERY

CORDAGE

CHAFFCUTTERS

SPADES, SHOVELS, PLANES.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have been instructed to sell by auction, THIS DAY, 30th May, at 11 a.m.,

The above.

SHIPMENT of DEER PARK FENCING, suitable for squatters and others.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have been instructed by the Importers to sell by auction, at their Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets, THIS DAY 30th May, at 11 a.m.,

NEW SHIPMENT of DEER PARK FENCING.

THIS DAY, at 11 a.m.

At the New Sale Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets.

MANTELPIECES (more or less damaged).

TO BUILDERS.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB will sell by auction, at their New Sale Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets, THIS DAY, at 11 a.m.,

Mantelpieces, with all faults.

FRIDAY, 31st May, at 11 a.m.

At the New Sale Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets.

ATTRACTIVE SALE of FLOWERING PLANTS and SHRUBS and FRUIT TREES,

comprising

CAMELLIAS, PINES

ROSE TREES, THUJAS

CUPRESSUS, TECOMAS

Climbers, &c.

ORANGE TREES, PEACH TREES

APPLE ditto, PEAR ditto

FIGS, &c., &c.

NEW AMERICAN FRUIT TREES

Ditto ditto GRAPE VINES, Catawba, Iona, Delaware, Diana, Allen's Hybred, &c., &c.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have been instructed to sell by auction, at their Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets,

FLOWERING PLANTS and FRUIT TREES.

SATURDAY 1st June, at 11 a.m.

At the New Sale Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets

CHOICE THOROUGHBRED POULTRY and PIGEONS,

comprising

ENGLISH BLACK-RED GAME FOWLS

BUFF COCHIN CHINA ditto

DARK BRAHMA, ditto

and

ANTWERP CARRIER PIGEONS (Bismarck breed).

To Breeders of Poultry and Fanciers.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB will sell, on account of a well-known poultry fancier, at their Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets, on SATURDAY 1st June, at 11 a.m.,

The above.

THIS DAY, Thursday, at 11 o'clock prompt, at the Rooms, 7, Wynyard-street.

On account of whom it may concern.

MR. CHARLES TEAKLE has been instructed to sell, THIS DAY, on account of whom it may concern, 62 cases of WIRE NAILS, slightly, much, and very much damaged.

Terms, cash.

IMPORTANT UNRESERVED SALE OF THE STOCK-IN-TRADE OF Mr. JOHN JAMES, CITY-BUILDINGS, HAYMARKET.

On FRIDAY, 31st May, at half-past 10 prompt.

MR. CHARLES TEAKLE has been instructed to sell by auction, on the premises as above, on FRIDAY next, at half-past 10 o'clock,

The whole of the stock-in-trade of Mr. John James, who is retiring from the Sydney branch of his business. The stock consists of

Manchester goods

Dress stuffs

Merinoes, coburgs, and alpacas

Hosiery and gloves

Ribbons, millinery

Haberdashery, &c., &c.

Mr. John James, who is about leaving for the Clarence River, has instructed Mr. Charles Teakle to sell, on the premises, after the sale of drapery,

The whole of his FURNITURE, consisting of

Sofas, couches, chairs

Tables, glassware, crockery,

and, in fact, every article to be found in a well furnished house, including a brilliant-toned and magnificent PIANO.

Terms at sale.

FOUR DAYS
EXTENSIVE AND UNRESERVED SALE OF FANCY GOODS, JEWELLERY, &c.

In the ASSIGNED ESTATE of NIELS JACOB PETERSEN.

TUESDAY, June 4
WEDNESDAY, June 5
THURSDAY, June 6
FRIDAY, June 7.

To Fancy Warehousemen, Island Buyers, Country Storekeepers, Hawkers, Drapers, Tobacconists, Outfitters, and the Trade.

MR. CHARLES TEAKLE has been instructed by the Assignees to sell by auction, at his Rooms, 7, Wynyard-street, on the above days, commencing EACH DAY AT HALF-PAST 10 O'CLOCK PROMPT.

THE STOCK SHEET SHOWS OVER £4000 (FOUR THOUSAND POUNDS) COST VALUE, and the following will be the

ORDER OF SALE.

FIRST DAY, TUESDAY, June 4.

Purses, leather and fancy bags, and portemonnaies

Hair, tooth, cloth, scrub, and shoe brushes

Dressing, back, poll, and tooth combs

Meerschaum and patus pipes, and cigar holders

Briar, cherry, and clay pipes

Tobacco pouches, match-boxes, and cachous

Cigarette-paper, cigars, matches

Perfumery, hair oil, pomade

Violet powder, patent medicines.

SECOND DAY, WEDNESDAY, June 5.

Haberdashery, socks, stockings

Ribbons, hair pins, buttons

Scarfs, paper collars, and hat ornaments

Swiss embroidery, flowers, hair goods

Toys of all kinds, marbles

Dolls of all descriptions.

and at 12 O'CLOCK PROMPT,

WINDOW GLASS, all sizes, from 12 x 10 to 36 x 30

Paper hangings

Albums, workboxes, and desks

Drafts, backgammon boards, and dominoes.

THIRD DAY, THURSDAY, June

Table and pocket cutlery, scissors

E. P. and B. M. goods of all kinds

Island knives, from 15 to 18 inches

Butchers' knives, from 4½ to 6 inches

Island beads, axes

Island guns, pistols, and revolvers

Paper, envelopes, books, and ink

Feeding bottles

Vases, lustres, toilet sets, and ornaments

Lampware

Tumblers, decanters, cut glass dishes

Pictures and oleographs

Unframed cromos and lithographs.

FOURTH DAY, FRIDAY, June 7.

Musical instruments, concertinas, accordeons, jews' harps, violins, clarionets, mail horns, flutes, &c., violin bows and strings

JEWELLERY—Gilt, silvered, plated, aluminium, and vulcanite goods,

And at 12 o'clock prompt,

Gold, jewellery, watches, &c.

As all the goods in the above Estate will be opened and on view on Monday next, intending purchasers are requested to view same prior to sale, as no allowance will be made except as to quantity. The goods having only recently been purchased, are in good condition.

THE AUCTIONEER may state that his instructions are to clear every line to the highest bidder, by order of the ASSIGNEES, and that the sale each day will commence at advertised time.

Terms at sale.

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AUCTION SALES.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

J. W. WATKIN will sell by auction, on SATURDAY next, on the premises, Norton-street, Ashfield, at 3 o'clock, a quantity of useful household furniture, in excellent order, piano, &c.

Full particulars in future advertisement.

ELEGANT VILLA, NORTON-STREET, ASHFIELD,
On SATURDAY next, at 3 p.m., on the premises.

J. W. WATKIN has received instructions to sell by auction, on SATURDAY next, at 3 p.m., on the premises, Norton-street, Ashfield,
An elegant villa, built of brick on stone foundations, shingled roof, containing drawing-room with bow windows, dining-room, 2 bedrooms, kitchen, servants' room, verandah front and back; fine supply of water, &c.
The land has a frontage of 60 feet by the good depth of 190. The title is under Torrens's Act; the terms easy.
This property is within five minutes' walk of the station.

WEDNESDAY, 5th June.

BOOTS and SHOES. BOOTS and SHOES.

On the PREMISES of Messrs. SADDINGTON and SONS, PITT-STREET.

GREAT CLEARANCE SALE of OPEN STOCK of English and Colonial goods, preparatory to removal of the Firm to Barrack-street, all in first-class condition and excellent sizes, without reserve.
Also,
Original Packages of the following celebrated manufacturers:—
W. Jones — Bostock, and Co.
S. Wolf — Pollak and Co.
Otto, Henry, and Co. — Benjamin and Co.,
and other leading makers.

To the Trade, Country Storekeepers, Dealers, and others.

MR. M. MOLONY is favoured with instructions from Messrs. Saddington and Sons to sell, without reserve, on their premises, Pitt-street, on WEDNESDAY next, the 5th June, at 11 o'clock,
The above.
Terms, liberal, at sale.

TUESDAY, 4th June.

NEW AND ELEGANT ENGLISH MANUFACTURED FURNITURE, just landed ex Brucklay Castle, comprising
Drawing-room and Dining-room Suites, Chiffoniers, Davenports, Music Cabinets, Canterburies, Whatnots, Mahogany and Oak Pedestal Tables; Loo, Card, Work, and Occasional Tables; Register Tables, Hat-stands, with Brush Box and Marble Slabs; Hall Tables and Chairs, Library Chairs, Office Washstands and Envelope Cases, Mahogany and Walnut Toilets, Commodes, Towel Horses, Washstands, &c., &c.

To the Trade, Gentlemen Furnishing, and others.

MR. M. MOLONY is favoured with instructions from Messrs. Cowlishaw, Brothers, to sell by auction, in his Rooms, No. 239, George-street, on TUESDAY next, the 4th June, at 11 o'clock prompt,
The above.
Without reserve.
Catalogues will be printed and ready for issue on Tuesday morning, the 3rd June.

MONDAY, 3rd June.

ON VIEW SATURDAY MORNING TILL TIME OF SALE.

On the Premises, Pyrmont Bridge Road, opposite the residence of Judge Wilkinson.

Extensive Sale of elegant and useful HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS, comprising
Drawing and Dining Room Suites, Pier Glasses
Sideboard, Carpets and Rugs, Pictures
Bedsteads and Bedding, Wardrobes, Marble-top Washstands, Toilet Table, &c., &c.

To Gentlemen Furnishing, Dealers, and others.

MR. M. MOLONY is favoured with instructions to sell by auction, on MONDAY next, the 3rd June,
The above.
Terms, cash.
No reserve.

WEDNESDAY, 19th June, 1878.

IMPERATIVE and UNRESERVED SALE of very VALUABLE CITY PROPERTY, corner of MARKET and CLARENCE STREETS, SYDNEY, being a MAGNIFICENT SITE for the ERECTION of STORES or WAREHOUSES.
All that parcel of Land situate at the corner of Clarence and Market streets, Sydney, bounded on the east by Clarence-street, commencing at the south-west corner of Clarence-street at its junction with Market-street; on the north by a westerly line, dividing the same from the premises of Mr. Curtis; on the west by a southerly line to Market-street, dividing the same from the premises of Mr. MORRIS; and on the south by Market-street to the commencing corner, embracing a FRONTAGE to MARKET-STREET of EIGHTY-SEVEN FEET, and a FRONTAGE to CLARENCE-STREET of SIXTY-ONE FEET.
To Capitalists and others seeking VALUABLE CITY INVESTMENTS this SALE offers an opportunity of obtaining a MOST VALUABLE CITY BLOCK rarely to be met with.

MR. M. MOLONY has been favoured with instructions to sell, WITHOUT RESERVE, IN ONE BLOCK, in his Rooms, No. 239, George-street North, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, the 19th June next, at 11 o clock prompt, THE ABOVE VERY VALUABLE CITY PROPERTY, subject to a life annuity of thirty pounds, payable to a lady now of the age of fifty-nine years.
A PLAN OF THE PROPERTY is now on view at the rooms of the auctioneer.
TITLE UNQUESTIONABLE. Full particulars of which may be obtained of the Solicitor to the Estate, R. W. ROBBERDS, Esq., Castlereagh-street, Sydney.
TERMS AT SALE.
DAY OF SALE, WEDNESDAY, 19th June next.

To Warehousemen, Drapers, Storekeepers, and Clothiers.

CLOTHING, MANCHESTER AND AMERICAN COTTONS, DRESS GOODS, SHIRTS, CRIMEAN SHIRTINGS, HOSIERY, &c., ex Min-y-don, Ravenswood, and other ships.

THIS DAY, Thursday, and FRIDAY, 30th and 31st instant, at 11 o'clock

CHAS. MOORE and CO. will sell by auction, at their Rooms, 167, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Thursday, and FRIDAY,
D in diamond,
46—300 dozen large cotton handkerchiefs
6—6 pieces linen ticks
26 dozen cambric handkerchiefs, ¼, hemmed
470—100 boys' tweed Kensington suits
30 ditto blue diagonal ditto
4 men's superior frieze overcoats
455—100 boys' heavy mole trousers
451—159 men's printed ditto ditto, with belt loops
457—100 ditto fine blue pilot reefers.
R S,
7—40 dozen boys' tweed crimean shirts
540—20 pieces wool wove shirtings
541—1 case same
70—1 case black and white prints
43—1 ditto black French merinoes, assorted
11—1 ditto 28-inch coloured velveteens, new shades
12—6 pieces black Matelasse cloth.
W in diamond,
14172—48 dozen children's hand-made wool boots
14174—36 ditto ditto Berlin wool hats
14175—6 pieces imitation sealskin
14176—1 case same
14200—1 case boys', youths', and men's overcoats, assorted
14201—1 case same
3—43 dozen men's merino undershirts and pants, assorted
5—225½ dozen Tom Thumb ties, assorted, satin and silk
40 dozen fine white super. socks, 8, 9, and 10 inch
8—50 dozen women's heather hose, 2 nos.
2 pieces black gros grain silks
6—4 ditto ditto ditto 2 nos.
3 pieces drab Janette twill
[illegible]—4 bales brown Navy canvas, red and blue stripes; each 12 pieces, 1 to 3
107—18 pieces heavy brown merchant navy, R.S., No. 1.
Terms at sale.

RETAIL STOCK.
Clothing, Mercery, Dress Materials, Hosiery, Hats, Trimmings, Laces, Muslins, &c., &c.
Removed from the country.
On FRIDAY next, 31st instant, at 11 o'clock.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. will sell by auction, at their Rooms, 167, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY,
The stock of a storekeeper, as above,
Terms at sale.

On account of whom it may concern.
Ex Harlaw, more or less damaged by sea water.

GREY MEXICANS and DOMESTICS, ANTI-RHEUMATICS, WELSHES.

THIS DAY Thursday, 30th instant, at 12.15.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. will sell by auction, at their Rooms, 167, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, at quarter-past 12,
193—30 pieces 28-inch grey mexicans, slightly damaged
194—30 ditto ditto ditto, ditto
195—30 ditto ditto ditto, ditto
196—30 ditto ditto ditto, ditto
198—30 ditto ditto ditto, ditto
200—30 ditto ditto ditto, ditto
201—30 ditto ditto ditto, ditto
202—25 29-inch heavy domestics, ditto
203—25 ditto fine stout mexicans, ditto
204—1 bale same, ditto
206—30 pieces 28-inch grey mexicans, ditto
207—30 ditto ditto ditto, ditto
211—30 ditto ditto ditto, ditto
212—30 ditto ditto ditto, ditto
134—20 ditto 36-inch heavy ditto, ditto
141—20 ditto ditto ditto, ditto
314— 4 ditto 29-inch fine buff best Welsh flannel, ditto
4 ditto 7-8 ditto ditto, ditto
3 ditto anti-rheumatic ditto, ditto
307— 4 ditto heavy medium Welsh, 1 x, ditto
4 ditto ditto, 3 x, ditto
4 ditto ditto, 4 x, ditto
4 ditto ditto, 5 x, ditto.
Terms, cash.

STERLING SILVER JEWELLERY.
One small case, containing an assortment of Ladies and Children's PRESENTATION GOODS.
THIS DAY, at 11.
GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON.

LONDON-MADE JEWELLERY and WATCHES.
Just landed, from the Manufacturers, Ex s. s. Garonne.
To be Cleared off without Reserve, consisting of
Gentlemen's and Ladies' Gold and Silver Watches
Gent.'s Albert Chains
Gentlemen's Signet Rings
Ladies' ditto ditto
Ladies' Long Guards
Ladies' Suites
Ladies' Gem Rings
Ditto Lockets
Brooches, Earrings
Gentlemen's Suites, &c.
For Sale by Auction, at the Rooms, THIS DAY, May 30th, at 11.
GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON.
Particulars at sale.
☞ The invoice comprises an assortment of all kinds, and is worthy the attention of the trade.

LADIES' AND GENTLEMEN'S OPERA GLASSES.
LADIES' FANCY WRITING DESKS.
An invoice of beautiful goods, just landed, from London.
For Sale by Auction, at the Rooms, by GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON.
THIS DAY, at 11.
Particulars at sale.

THE FOLLOWING GUNS just landed ex Garonne, from London, will be offered at the Rooms of GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON, THIS DAY, May 30, at 11:—
1 double-barrel, central-fire breech-loader, Damascus barrels, choke bored, 31-inch barrels, 12 bore, by Hackett, in leather case.
1 ditto ditto Lefaucheur action, 30-inch barrels, 10 bore, by Greener, in flat leather case.
2 best Powell patent-action double-barrel central-fire breechloader, best Damascus barrels, 30-inch, 12 bore, in leather case.
1 double-barrel C. F., 30-inch, 12 bore, choke bord, Snap action, side lever, back-action locks, silver oval in stock, lion's head, flat leather case, complete, No. 5760, by W. Powell and Son.
1 double-barrel gun, by Powell; eight barrel, smooth, 14 bore; left barrel rifled, 2 grooves, 18 bore, lift hair trigger; apparatus, &c., in case.
1 double-barrel, by Westley Richards, C. F. breech-loader, 32-inch, 10 bore, patent Snap action, top lever, in flat leather case.
1 single-barrel rifle, by Reilly and Co., Green's patent.

ON ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.
No. 2620—1 bale Hessians
No. 2618—1 ditto Forfars
1 case Tweeds,
Ex Harlaw, from London,
for Sale by auction, at the Rooms, THIS DAY, May 30, at 11.
GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON.

AMERICAN DOORS.
On account of whom it may concern.
Ex s.s. City of New York.
15 DOORS, for Sale by Auction, at the Rooms, at 11 o'clock,
GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON, THIS DAY, May 30.

EX PARRAMATTA and TRAFALGAR from London.
10 tons CHOCOLATE and MILK
32 boxes RAISINS
18 cases CONDENSED MILK, bear brand
25 ditto ditto, ditto
21 trusses superior Seaming TWINE
46 cases Holbrook's 1 lb SALMON
15 cases BLACKLEAD, 2 and 4 ounces
5 cases Stick LIQUORICE.
By order of the consignees.
For sale by auction, at the Rooms on FRIDAY, May 31, at 11.
GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON.

PORT WINE.
46 Cases, each 1 dozen, Offley's.
For sale by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, May 31, at 11.
GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON.

FOOCHOW TEAS.
A small shipment to close an account.
98 Half-chests
46 ditto
82 boxes.
By order of the consignees.
For sale by auction on FRIDAY, May 31.
GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON.

BIRCH GROVE
THE FEW CHOICE VILLA SITES OF THE ESTATE, HAVING UNSURPASSED WATER FRONTAGE, AND COMMANDING CHARMING VIEWS OF THE HARBOUR, AND SURROUNDING THE MINIATURE BAY OF NAPLES, THREE MINUTES FROM THE FERRY, WILL BE IN THE MARKET for public competition ON AN EARLY DAY.
THIS ESTATE, being within fifteen minutes of the General Post Office, and possessing all the advantages of a marine location free from the noise and bustle of the city, yet within so short a distance from the centre of the metropolis, must commend itself to everyone requiring these advantages.
The Gas Company are now laying their main throughout the entire length of the estate, and public lamps are being erected.
With these city advantages the BIRCH GROVE ESTATE possesses qualifications far beyond any of the SUBDIVISIONS now placed before THE PUBLIC.
THE TERMS WILL BE EXTREMELY LIBERAL.
☞ Views of this very charming locality will be on exhibition at the Rooms of the Auctioneers.
Lithographic plans in course of preparation.
GILCHRIST STUBBS, and WESTON.

WOOBOURNE—TUESDAY, 4th JUNE
GEORGE-STREET FRONTAGES, TUESDAY, 4th JUNE.
MARGARET AND SUSSEX STREETS BLOCK, TUESDAY, 4th JUNE.
GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON, 273, George-street.

WOOBOURNE, CURL CURL.
EXCELLENT FAMILY RESIDENCE and Valuable Area of Rural Estate. IN ONE OR MORE LOTS.
THAT VERY BEAUTIFUL PROPERTY with Villa Residence thereon, the property of W. H. Rolfe, Esq., on the Pittwater Road, Manly.
21¼ ACRES, MORE OR LESS.

GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Land Sale Rooms, 273, George-street, on TUESDAY, 4th June, at 11 o'clock,
ALL THAT SPLENDID AREA OF LAND extending from the PITTWATER ROAD TO THE OCEAN, with a beautiful and picturesque frontage for the whole depth to CURL CURL LAGOON, comprising about 21¼ ACRES of the best and most perfect lands, either as a whole or SUBDIVIDED, in the whole parish of Manly.
Together with very COMFORTABLE, COMMODIOUS, AND SUBSTANTIAL VILLA RESIDENCE, OUTHOUSES, STABLES, &c.
To those of the people who desire to at once enjoy all the beauties of nature, combined with the most healthy and recreative of easily accessible SYLVAN RETREATS yet brought within reach of the public buyer, WOOBOURNE IS THE CHOICEST.
The Estate is not more than one mile from the PIER itself, and its surroundings possess every feature of that BEAUTIFUL NATURE so charming to the eye, restful to the mind, and at the same time invigorating to the body.
For Private Residence, Academy, or Seminary this Estate forms one of the most desirable properties in the colony.
☞ EVERYBODY SHOULD VISIT IT.
CARDS TO VIEW WILL BE issued on application to the Auctioneers, at whose Rooms, 273, George-street, plans are now on view.
THE TITLE IS PERFECT.
THE TERMS WILL BE LIBERAL.
Sale—TUESDAY, 4th June, at 11 o'clock.

VALUABLE FREEHOLD CITY BLOCK.
SPECIALLY IMPORTANT SALE.
By order of the Directors of the Australasian Steam Navigation Company.
126 FEET FRONTAGE TO MARGARET-STREET,
135 FEET FRONTAGE TO NAPOLEON-STREET,
95 FEET FRONTAGE TO MILL-LANE,
161 FEET FRONTAGE TO INTENDED GOVERNMENT EXTENSION OF SUSSEX-STREET,
with all the improvements and Buildings thereon, including THE HUNTER RIVER INN, FOUR EXCELLENT SHOPS, LARGE YARD AND WORKSHOPS, and SUBSTANIAL STONE STORE.

GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON have received instructions to sell by auction, at their LAND SALE ROOMS, 273, George-street, on TUESDAY, 4th June, at 11 o'clock,
The WHOLE of that large and valuable block of land, with the buildings thereon, now and always fully occupied, comprising the EXTENSIVE FRONTAGES and BUILDINGS detailed above, and forming one of the most VALUABLE BLOCKS in the whole city.
No prophet is required to indicate the ENORMOUS VALUE THIS LAND must shortly attain.
Its present adjacency to the great import locality of the colony, quite independent of the probability of all the lands on this line of route being required for railway purposes, renders it one of the most conspicuous AREAS of LAND offering to INVESTORS or SPECULATORS a field for certain and large profit.
PLANS of the PROPERTY now on exhibition at the Rooms, 273, George-street.
THE TITLE IS INDISPUTABLE.
THE TERMS WILL BE LIBERAL.
Sale, TUESDAY, 4th June, at 11 o'clock.

SATURDAY, 8th JUNE.
PITT-STREET, REDFERN.
Lots 22, 23, and 24, section 6, REDFERN ESTATE, subdivided into 13 allotments.
6 Allotments, fronting Pitt-street
7 ditto, ditto Burnett-street.
This property is situated nearly opposite Redfern Lodge, in one of the best positions in this POPULAR STREET, where houses command a good rental, and are eagerly sought after.
The view is good, position healthy, and drainage perfect.
Terms easy. (3 years' credit.)

C. T. BURFITT has been favoured with instructions to offer the above desirable property by auction, on the ground, on SATURDAY, 8th June, at 3 o'clock.
For further particulars apply at the Office, 355, George-street.

PETERSHAM.
About 2 ACRES of LAND, being a portion of the ELSWICK ESTATE.

W. PRITCHARD has received instructions from Mrs. DOYLE to sell by auction, at his Rooms, 281, GEORGE-STREET, THIS DAY, Thursday, MAY 30th, at 11 o'clock,
All that splendid BLOCK of LAND, PETERSHAM, adjoining the NORTH ANNANDALE ESTATE, containing about 2 acres, more or less, and having frontages of
267 feet to Norton-street
266 feet to Mackenzie-street
266 feet to a street 33 feet wide.
Title, freehold. Terms at sale.

LEASEHOLD COTTAGE AND LAND, with Stabling, &c.
GEORGE-STREET, REDFERN.
NEAR RAGLAN-STREET.

W. PRITCHARD will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 281, George-street, THIS DAY, Thursday, MAY 30th, at 11 o'clock,
ALLOTMENT of land, 42 feet to GEORGE-STREET, by a depth of 80 feet, on which is erected a WEATHERBOARD VERANDAH COTTAGE of four rooms, with STABLES and COWSHEDS, &c.
Held under a lease of about 80 years to run, at a ground rent of 2s 9d per week.
Terms, cash.

REDFERN.
BULLANAMING-STREET.
FREEHOLD ALLOTMENTS and BUILDINGS.
Next to WOODS, BARBER, and CO.'S PROPERTY.

W. PRITCHARD will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 281, GEORGE-STREET, THIS DAY, Thursday, May 30, at 11 o'clock,
All that BLOCK of LAND, having a frontage of 50 feet to BULLANAMING-STREET, by a depth of 92 feet 6 inches, with the BRICK and STONE BUILDINGS erected thereon.
This property is near WELLS-STREET, and adjoins the property of Messrs. WOODS, BARBER, and CO.
Title, freehold. Terms at sale.

PETERSHAM.
TWO CHOICE ALLOTMENTS of LAND, having frontages to THE PARRAMATTA ROAD and SHORT-STREET.

W. PRITCHARD will sell by auction, in the Rooms, 281, George-street, THIS DAY, Thursday, May 30, at 11 o'clock,
TWO ALLOTMENTS of LAND.
LOT 26.—Corner of GLEBE ISLAND ROAD, having frontages of 48 feet to PARRAMATTA ROAD and SHORT-STREET, by a depth of 220 feet.
LOT 27.—40 feet frontage to PARRAMATTA ROAD and SHORT-STREET, by 220 feet.
The above allotments are conveniently situated, nearly opposite MALLARD'S Hotel, and close to the COUNCIL CHAMBERS.
Title, freehold. Terms at sale.
Plan at the Rooms.

WINDSOR.
FOUR HOUSES, ON THE TERRACE.
CATHERINE-STREET, WINDSOR.
NEAR THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND, and PUBLIC SCHOOL.

W. PRITCHARD will sell by AUCTION, at his ROOMS, 281, GEORGE-STREET, THIS DAY, Thursday, May 30th, at 11 o'clock,
All that piece of land, having a frontage of 60 feet to Catherine-street, Windsor, by a depth of 110 feet, upon which are erected FOUR SUBSTANTIAL HOUSES, built of BRICK on STONE FOUNDATION, with SHINGLED ROOF, each containing FOUR ROOMS and KITCHEN, with VERANDAHS BACK and FRONT.
Title, freehold. Terms at sale.

W. PRITCHARD'S ORDER OF SALE,
THIS DAY, THURSDAY, MAY 30th, AT THE ROOMS, 281, GEORGE-STREET, at 11 o'clock.
BRICK COTTAGE and STABLING CAMPERDOWN ROAD.
FOUR BRICK HOUSES at WINDSOR.
315 ACRES of LAND, HOLDSWORTHY, near LIVERPOOL.
TWO ALLOTMENTS, PARRAMATTA ROAD, CORNER of GLEBE ISLAND ROAD.
BRICK and STONE BUILDINGS and LAND, BULLANAMING-STREET.
LEASEHOLD COTTAGE and LAND, GEORGE-STREET, REDFERN.
TWO ACRES of LAND at PETERSHAM, portion of ELSWICK ESTATE.
In the AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, ON THE GROUND, PITT-STREET, BUILDING MATERIALS.
Full particulars in this day's HERALD, ECHO, and EVENING NEWS.

THREE MILES FROM LIVERPOOL.
315 ACRES of LAND at HOLDSWORTHY.

W. PRITCHARD will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 281, George-street, THIS DAY, Thursday, May 30, at 11 o'clock,
A splendid block of THREE HUNDRED and FIFTEEN ACRES of land, in close proximity to the LIVERPOOL RAILWAY STATION and the NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL.
About 106 acres of the land fenced and otherwise improved, with a WOOD BUILDING and GARDEN; the remainder is subdivided into GOOD GRASS PADDOCKS.
Title, Crown grant. Terms at sale.

TWO-ROOMED BRICK COTTAGE and STABLING FOR TWO HORSES, CAMPERDOWN ROAD, close to LARKIN'S STORE.

W. PRITCHARD will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 281, George-street, THIS DAY, Thursday, May 30, at 11 o'clock,
Allotments of land, having a frontage of 26 feet 6 inches to the Camperdown Road by a depth of 86 feet, on which is erected a two-roomed brick cottage, with stabling for two horses.
Freehold title. Terms at sale.

BUILDING MATERIALS of TWO COTTAGES, OUTHOUSES, and SUBSTANTIAL STONE WALL, &c.

W. PRITCHARD will sell by auction, on the ground, Pitt-street, THIS (Thursday) AFTERNOON, 30th May, at half-past 2 o'clock,
The building materials of two cottages, outhouses, and substantial stone wall, consisting of a quantity of first-class stone, galvanized iron, bricks, timber, &c., erected on that piece of land directly opposite ROBERTSON'S COACH FACTORY, Pitt-street.
Terms cash.

CAMPBELLTOWN LAND SALE.
MONDAY, JUNE 10, at 12 o'clock.
ON THE GROUND.

W. PRITCHARD will sell the above, by auction, ON THE GROUND, MONDAY, June 10, at 12 o'clock.
FREE TICKETS for train can be had at the Rooms, 281, George-street.
Full particulars in Saturday's HERALD, ECHO, and EVENING NEWS.

GOVERNMENT DEBENTURES.
Sale by Auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, 30th May, at 11.30 prompt, £3410, in lots to suit purchasers.
MILLS and PILE, Auctioneers, 154, Pitt-street.

AUBURN, THE NEW RAILWAY SUBURB.
FIRST SALE, SATURDAY NEXT.
EXCURSION TRAIN to inspect, FRIDAY AFTERNOON.
Tickets on application to MILLS and PILE, Auctioneers.

THIS DAY, May 30, at 11.30.
Sale of CHOICE ALLOTMENTS of LAND.

MILLS and PILE will sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 154, Pitt-street,
A choice allotment, having 30 feet frontage to Prospect-street, Erskineville, with a depth of 105 feet, close to Macdonald Town station
6 choice allotments, West and Glen streets, St. Leonards, just beyond the Cemetery
11 allotments, Manly
1 allotment in the village of Battersea, Parramatta River.
This being a clearance sale, the attention of those on the look-out for BARGAINS is especially invited.

THURSDAY, May 30.
NEW SOUTH WALES GOVERNMENT DEBENTURES, £3410, 5 PER CENTS.

MILLS and PILE have received instructions to sell by auction, at the Land Sale Rooms, 154, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, May 30, at 11.30 prompt,
The following New South Wales Government debentures:—
24 due 1st July, 1902
5 due 1st July, 1901
5 due 1st July, 1892
1 due 1st July, 1882.
Interest payable half-yearly, either in Sydney or London, at the option of the holder.

STONE HOUSE, No. 18, BURRAHPORE-STREET, off BOURKE-STREET, WOOLLOOMOOLOO.

MILLS and PILE have been instructed by the Executrix of the Will of the late Mr. Hawkins to sell by auction, at the Land Sale Rooms, 154, Pitt-street, on THIS DAY, May 30, at 11.30 prompt,
A substantially built stone house, No. 18, Burrahpore-street, slated roof. It contains 4 rooms.
The land has a frontage of 15 feet by a depth of 72 feet to a lane at the rear.
This property would prove a good investment, as houses in the locality are never empty.
Water laid on.
Title good. Terms at sale.

IMPORTANT LAND SALE, FAIRFIELD.
EIGHTY-FIVE ACRES OF VERY SUPERIOR LAND, IN FIVE-ACRE BLOCKS, CLOSE TO THE STATION. FINE POSITIONS FOR VILLAS, VINEYARDS, AND ORCHARDS, COMMENCING AT THE RAILWAY LINE, and extending southward as a well-watered and fertile slope.

MILLS and PILE have been instructed to sell by auction, on the land, close to the Fairfield Station, on SATURDAY, June 8, at 3 o'clock,
A careful subdivision of 85 acres, commencing almost at the station.
It has been laid out by Mr. Surveyor Bishop so as to give to every lot a good supply of permanent water.
Lot 1 contains 20 acres, and comprises the cottage, orchard, and part of the cultivation.
The rest is divided into 5-acre lots, all fronting a good road.
The locality and soil of this property are particularly suited for vineyards; some of the finest in the district are close to it.
Plans are being prepared.

SALE BY AUCTION ON THE GROUND.
THE NEW RAILWAY SUBURB OF AUBURN.
ON THE LINE FROM SYDNEY TO PARRAMATTA.
TWENTY MINUTES FROM SYDNEY.
THE STATION IS IN THE CENTRE OF THE PLACE.
11 trains a-day.
EXCURSION to view the estate, by trains leaving Sydney at 2.15, returning at 5, on FRIDAY, 31st instant.
SALE BY AUCTION, on the ground, the following day, SATURDAY, 1st June.
Do not forget to embrace this first chance to secure the pick of this new township.
Tickets for the excursion at the Rooms, 154, Pitt-street,
MILLS and PILE, Auctioneers.
Lithographs now ready.

BURWOOD. BURWOOD.
LAND AUCTION SALE, at 3 o'clock, ON THE GROUND, on SATURDAY, 1st June, by HARDIE and GORMAN.
A four-horse OMNIBUS will leave the Rooms, 175, Pitt-street, at 2 o'clock, on day of sale.

UNRESERVED SALE.
LOT 29, Sec. 8, in the UNDERWOOD ESTATE, PADDINGTON, having a frontage of 19 FEET 2 INCHES to UNDERWOOD-STREET, by a depth of 178 FEET to a lane 20 FEET wide.
TORRENS' TITLE.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 175, Pitt-street, at 11 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 5th June,
The above-described allotment.
*** This land adjoins the property of Mr. SIMEON BROWN, and is situate near to WOODSTOCK HALL, the residence of GEORGE KING, Esq.

WEDNESDAY, 5th JUNE.
In the Estate of the late ALEXANDER LEARMONTH, Esq., by order of the EXECUTORS and EXECUTRIX.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from the EXECUTORS and EXECUTRIX in the estate of the late ALEXANDER LEARMONTH, Esq., to sell by public auction, at their CENTRAL SALE ROOMS, Bell's-chambers, 175, Pitt-street, at 11 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 5th JUNE,
The following valuable and improving properties,
PARISH OF ST. GEORGE, 56 ACRES of land, fronting BOTANY BAY.
*** This land adjoins SCARBOROUGH TOWNSHIP, and is shown on country plan.
PARISH of WILLOUGHBY, 28¼ ACRES of land, fronting FLAT ROCK ROAD and CREEK.
*** This land is near to the residences of G. P. SLADE and A. DODDS, Esqs., and adjoins the property of THOMAS BROUGHTON, Esq.
PLAN ON VIEW.
PARISH of HOLDSWORTHY, 24 ACRES of land, fronting GEORGE'S RIVER, at LIVERPOOL.
*** This land is show on county plan, and is near to WILLIAMS CREEK.
PARISH of CONCORD, 1 ACRE of land, fronting STANLEY-STREET, LONGBOTTOM.
*** This land adjoins the property reserved for CHURCH PURPOSES, and is near to the CHURCH.
PARISH of MAITLAND, HALF-AN-ACRE, fronting GEORGE-STREET, in the TOWN of MAITLAND.
*** This land is fenced in, and adjoins the property of G. T. CHAMBERS, Esq.
TITLES—TORRENS' ACT.
Messrs. BRADLEY and SON, Solicitors for Vendors.

WESTON-STREET, BALMAIN.
Shop and 2 Dwelling-houses, situated in WESTON-STREET, BALMAIN, each let at 19s per week.
The Land is described as Lots 21 and 22, Section 47, of BALMAIN ESTATE.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, 175, Pitt-street, at 11 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 5th June,
The above-described properties, consisting of butcher's shop, 4 rooms and cellar, and a private house of 3 rooms, &c.
☞ This snug little property is situate in an improving position, on direct route to the NEW BRIDGES, with the street formed and metalled.
Day of Sale, WEDNESDAY, 5th JUNE.

POSITIVE SALE.
SPRINGWOOD RAILWAY STATION, WESTERN LINE.
SPRINGWOOD HOTEL, and about 6 ACRES of elevated and highly improved Land, fenced in, and planted with a choice assortment of Fruit and other Trees.
TITLE, CROWN GRANT.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received positive instructions from F. Raymond, Esq., to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 175, Pitt-street, Sydney, at 11 o'clock on WEDNESDAY, 19th June,
All that magnificent block of elevated and most accessible land containing an area of about 6 acres of highly improved land, fenced in, upon which is erected SPRINGWOOD HOTEL, containing 11 rooms, besides bar, verandah, halls, &c., &c., also the buildings used as a POST-OFFICE and STORE, together with a 4-stall stable, and the other necessary out conveniences for carrying on the business.
THE GROUNDS are largely planted with peach, pear, apple, quince, orange, lemon, and other fruit-bearing trees, in a very healthy condition, and are divided into orchard, kitchen, and flower garden; sheep pens for travelling stock, large yard, &c., &c., all fenced with palings.
STOCK and FURNITURE MAY BE TAKEN AT A VALUATION.
☞ This freehold occupies the premier position in Springwood, both for accessibility and elevation.
This property is within a few yards of the RAILWAY STATION, very near to the Public School and store, commands elevated and extensive views, and is the only established hotel in that locality.
To an enterprising business man a large and profitable trade might be carried on; and, if required, a portion of the land resold; or, to a gentleman requiring a COUNTRY SEAT, no better position could be secured.
The HOTEL is situate at the CORNER of the GREAT WESTERN ROAD and RAYMOND-STREET, opposite to the land of Sir HENRY PARKES, and CHARLES BENT, Esq., and the supply of water is abundant.
A LARGE PLAN, showing a PROPOSED SUBDIVISION, can be INSPECTED AT THE SALE ROOMS, but the property will be sold in one lot.
Day of Sale, WEDNESDAY, 19th JUNE.

DOWLING-STREET, near MOORE PARK.
Nos. 51 and 53 fronting DOWLING-STREET near its junction with BOTANY-STREET, close to the RESERVE, together with 2 weatherboard houses at the rear.
The land has a frontage of 23 feet by 100 feet deep, more or less.
Freehold Title.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 175, Pitt-street, at 11 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 12th June.
The above described properties.
Further particulars will be duly given.

By order of the TRUSTEES of the Estate of the late JAMES BELL, Esq., J.P.
BRINGELLY ROAD, CABRAMATTA.
That conveniently-situated and valuable Grazing and Agricultural Farm, BELLFIELD, containing 384 ACRES, fronting the BRINGELLY ROAD (adjoining the Church and School in the township of Cabramatta) and SOUTH CREEK, opposite THE RETREAT, the property of J. W. Pearce Esq., about 11 miles from the LIVERPOOL RAILWAY STATION; together with the RESIDENCE and OTHER IMPROVEMENTS thereon.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions as above to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 14th June, at 11 o'clock,
Bellfield Estate, Bringelly Road, Cabramatta; full particulars of which will appear in Saturday's HERALD.
Plan of position on view at the Rooms.
Messrs. FITZHARDINGE and SONS, 142, Pitt-street, Solicitors of the Estate.

ORDER OF SALE.
CITY, SUBURBAN, and COUNTRY PROPERTIES, to be sold by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, TO-MORROW, FRIDAY, at half-past 11 o'clock.

JAMISON-STREET.	Block of Land, together with the stone building thereon, formerly used as a schoolroom, in Jamison-street, a few yards west of George-street.
PALMER-STREET.	Splendid corner site, Palmer and Plunkett streets, immediately opposite the Domain gate.
COWPER WHARF, Woolloomooloo.	The Royal Yacht Hotel, at the corner of Forbes and Best streets.
PADDINGTON HEIGHTS.	Brick Cottage, Gordon-street, Sydney Common, nearly opposite Elizabeth-street. Four Building Sites, between the above and Montrose House, at the corner of Stewart-street.
WOOLLAHRA.	Leamington House, Cameron-street, off South Head New Road, west of Ocean-street.
GREENWICH.	1 acre 3 roods 38 perches land, with improvements thereon, known as Thorne's Lime Works, Gore's Bay, near Greenwich Point.
BROKEN BAY.	Macintosh's Grant of 50 acres, in a bay under the south-west shore of Pittwater, beyond Barrenjoey.
MOUNT TOMAH ROAD, county of Cook.	Bulgahmattah Estate, 2560 acres, about 26 miles west from Richmond. Kenny's 100 acres, Mount Tomah Road, about 20 miles from Richmond. Dooding's Farm of 500 acres on same road. In two lots of 250 acres each. Elliott's 100 acres, fronting the same road.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH.

COUNTY OF CAMDEN.
BONG BONG, between BOWRAL and MOSS VALE, that well-known FARM SPRINGFIELD, containing, by grants, 240 ACRES of LAND, fronting the BONG BONG ROAD and the WINGECARRIBBEE RIVER, adjoining the estate of P. H. THROSBY, Esq., about two miles from BOWRAL RAILWAY STATION.
The improvements consist of a wooden COTTAGE, containing 6 rooms, kitchen, servant's room, bathroom, pantry and storeroom, with wash-house, wood-shed, stable and coach-house: surrounding the dwelling is a garden. All the land is fenced or enclosed with hawthorn hedges.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from Mrs. SMITH to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, Sydney, on FRIDAY, 7th June, at 11 o'clock,
The above farm, comprising Rholl's, Charter's, and Bowman's grants, in the parish of Mittagong, county of Camden.
☞ This is an opportunity that should not be lost sight of by those in search of a favourably situated and very desirable IMPROVED FARM in this, without doubt, the most SALUBRIOUS, HEALTHY, and POPULAR SPOT on the SOUTHERN RAILWAY LINE, within easy distance from the BOWRAL RAILWAY STATION, only four HOURS' run by RAILWAY from the CITY OF SYDNEY.
Plan of position on view at the Rooms.
Terms at sale.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.
DARLING POINT.
TWO TWO-STORY DWELLINGS fronting the road west of Darling Point Road, near the residence of the Hon. E. BUTLER, and immediately opposite COMO, the property of GEORGE EVANS, Esq.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 7th June, at 11 o'clock,
All that piece of LAND having 40 FEET frontage to the road, bounding Como with a depth of about 82 feet, on which are TWO 2-STORY DWELLINGS, of stone and brick, containing each verandah in front, 4 rooms, and kitchen; yards with side entrances, garden plots in front, and the city water is laid on.
☞ The above is a favourably-situated small freehold property, on portion of the GLENHURST ESTATE, overlooking Rushcutter Bay, and commanding a beautiful harbour view. Mrs. Carroll, the occupant of one of the houses, will show intending purchasers over the property.
Terms at sale.

COUNTY OF COOK near KURRAJONG.
DOODING'S FARM of 500 ACRES, on the MOUNT TOMAH ROAD, Town of Bilpin, about 20 miles beyond Richmond.
It will be offered in two lots of 250 acres each.
JOHN ELLIOTT'S 100 ACRES, fronting the main road from MOUNT TOMAH to RICHMOND.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, TO-MORROW, Friday, 31st May, at 11 o'clock,
Three large blocks of land at Bilpin, Mount Tomah Road, beyond Kurrajong.
Plan of position on view at the Rooms.
Messrs. BRADLEY and SON, Margaret-street, Solicitors of the vendors.

By order of the Trustees of the Estate of the late WILLIAM LAWSON, Esq.
MOUNTAIN SITES.
SPRINGWOOD RAILWAY STATION.
MOST CHARMINGLY-SITUATED BLOCKS of LAND, only a few yards from the SPRINGWOOD RAILWAY STATION, having main road as well as Railway frontages, being a subdivision of TWO of the earliest selections in this HEALTHFUL and POPULAR PUBLIC RESORT.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, Sydney, on FRIDAY, 21st June, at 11 o'clock,
TWENTY-FIVE MOUNTAIN SITES, in area from 1 acre 1 rood 17 perches to 7 acres 2 roods 11 perches in the CHOICEST POSITION at the FAVOURITE MOUNTAIN RETREAT of SPRINGWOOD, on the top of the ZIG-ZAG, having the EASTERN SLOPE at an elevation of upwards of 1200 FEET above the level of the sea.
☞ These sites are a subdivision of two of the earliest selections in the locality—one of 20 ACRES adjoining the well-known and highly-improved COUNTRY SEAT of CHARLES MOORE, Esq., the other, 100 ACRES, known as LAWSON'S GRANT, adjoining the RESIDENCE and GROUNDS belonging to W. CORBIN, Esq., and the lands of Sir HENRY PARKES, K.C.M.G.
They have frontages to the MAIN WESTERN ROAD, and are within a few hundred yards of the SPRINGWOOD RAILWAY STATION.
The soil upon these two grants is RICH ALLUVIAL, and in every respect suitable for GARDEN CULTURE, or for ORANGERIES.
The 100 ACRE GRANT was specially chosen by an experienced gardener as A SITE, the most suitable for ORANGERIES and ORCHARDS to be found on the MOUNTAINS.
The subdivision has been most carefully made by Mr. SURVEYOR REUSS, Jun., and great care taken in order to give to each SITE easy access by road from SPRINGWOOD.
The lots are all pegged out, so that intending purchasers with a LITHOGRAPH in hand can without much difficulty identify each of the sites.
Plans of the subdivisions are on view at the Rooms, Pitt-street, Sydney, and LITHOGRAPHS are now ready for distribution.
TERMS LIBERAL AT SALE.

BOWENFELS. WESTERN RAILWAY. NEW TOWNSHIP, adjoining the BOWENFELS COAL MINING PROPERTY, within a quarter of a mile of a RAILWAY PLATFORM.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from the directors of the [illegible] Company to sell by public auction, ON THE GROUND, TUESDAY, 11th JUNE, at 11 o'clock,
Allotments of land in this important township.
Further particulars will be published in a future advertisement.
LITHOGRAPHS will shortly be ready for distribution.
Terms very liberal.

To Graziers, Capitalists, Speculators, and others.
FOR SALE.
Those magnificent and highly-improved SHEEP STATIONS, BILLYEENA, THURIBRI, THURIBRI EAST and VALE OF SIGHS, situated in the Gwydir District, and having an area of about 88,320 ACRES, with 11,122 (more or less) well-bred mixed SHEEP, 4260 acres (more or less), PURCHASED and SELECTED LAND, and Sundries.
TERMS: One-third cash, balance by approved bills at one, two, and three years, bearing interest at seven per cent. per annum.

BRUNKER, WOLFE, and BADGERY have received instructions from George Cross, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Chamber of Commerce, Exchange-buildings, Pitt-street, Sydney, on TUESDAY, June 11, 1878, at 12 o'clock,
That extensive and highly improved pastoral property known as BILLYEENA, comprising four blocks, or 88,320 acres, of the famous Liverpool Plains, admitted to be the finest grazing county in Australia, splendidly watered at this point by the Namoi River, Maul's Creek, and other creeks; also by wells on the out-stations.
The improvements on the head station, Billyeena, comprise—comfortable house, store, stable, woolshed, hay shed, and milking yard, three cultivation paddocks, and horse paddock; on the out-stations there are erected all the appliances for efficiently working the stock, such as comfortable overseer's house, shepherds' huts, horse paddock, sheep yards, &c.
With the station will be sold
4900 wethers, 3½ to 5½ years old
700 ditto, 2½ to 5½ ditto
3251 breeding ewes, 2½ to 5½ ditto
1931 hoggets
260 mixed sheep
80 rams
11,122 (more or less).
4260 acres, more or less, freehold and conditionally purchased land, stores and sundries.
There is a flock of prime fat sheep now ready and fit for consignment to any market, and two other flocks are ripening rapidly, and will soon be ready to follow. The freehold and conditionally purchased land secures the principal water frontages, and improvements on the run; the conditional purchases have been fully improved, and, with two exceptions, declared upon and declarations accepted.
Intending purchasers are invited to inspect the above pastoral property, and every information and assistance will be given to enable them to do so on application to BRUNKER, WOLFE, and BADGERY, Auctioneers, 721, George-street, Sydney, and Maitland.

To Squatters, Speculators, and others.
For Sale, at the Chamber of Commerce, Exchange-buildings, Sydney, on TUESDAY, 11th June, 1878.
WEE WAA SOUTH, a highly improved and well-secured Cattle and Sheep Station.
Situated on the Namoi River, in the heart of the famous Liverpool Plains district, having an area of about 75,000 acres of magnificently grassed and watered land, forming a compact, well appointed pastoral property, almost equal to a freehold, within an easy distance of the principal markets of the colony.
With the Station will be sold—
1000 Head of Cattle (more or less), a well-bred mixed herd
4500 mixed Sheep (more or less)
3840 Acres (more or less), freehold and conditionally purchased land
Working Horses, and sundries.
TERMS—Half cash on fall of hammer, balance in one and two years, bearing interest at seven per cent., and secured in the usual way.

BRUNKER, WOLFE, and BADGERY have received instructions from James Fletcher, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Chamber of Commerce, Exchange Buildings, Pitt-street, Sydney, on TUESDAY, June 11, 1878, at 12 o'clock,
The well-known Wee Waa station, with the stock thereon, above described.
The improvements are of a most complete and extensive character; a comfortable and well laid out homestead has been formed, no expense having been spared in its formation and erection of the residence and outhouses. On the various out-stations are comfortable stockmen's and shepherds' huts, with all the necessary yards and paddocks attached for working the stock. The greater portion of the run has been substantially fenced and carefully subdivided into paddocks by the proprietor, whose great experience in the management of pastoral matters, assisted by capital, has enabled him to carry out, and it is simply impossible in an advertisement to convey to intending purchasers a proper estimate of the nature or extent of these improvements.
The stock to be sold with the run comprises, as above stated, 1000 head of mixed cattle, carefully classed and bred; fully two-thirds are males, and 400 of them bullocks to be fattened in the spring; 4500 sheep, of which 3800 are breeding ewes, bred by the Peel River Company; 15 head of stock horses and sundries.
The purchased land has been selected to secure the principal water frontages and improvements on the run. The portions held as Conditional Purchases have been fully improved and declared upon, and every effort has been made to secure the run at every possible point.
Intending purchasers are invited to inspect this really genuine pastoral investment. Every information and assistance will be given to enable this being done.
For further particulars apply to BRUNKER, WOLFE, and BADGERY, Auctioneers, 217, George-street, Sydney; and at West Maitland.

Preliminary Advertisement.
WARRAH BULLS.
G. M. PITT and SON have the honour to announce that the Annual Sale of the A. A. Company's bulls will be held the first week in August next, at Muswellbrook, when about 120 bulls, 2½ years old, all bred by the Company and out of their choicest cows, will be offered for sale.
The bulls are all well-grown and in excellent condition, and will be found on inspection to be the best lot ever yet offered by the Company.
The sale will be without reserve.
G. M. PITT and SON, Agents.

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.
KOOBA STATION.
RYAN and HAMMOND, in conjunction with Messrs. Wilkinson, Hann, Michin, and Co., have received instructions from Messrs. Stanbridge and Co., in consequence of their partnership having expired, to offer by public auction, in Melbourne, early in July next,
Their Kooba property, on the Murrumbidgee River, with 104,000 acres of purchased land
About 130,000 acres of improved and Crown lands.
And,
80,000 first-class sheep, amongst them 44,000 ewes now lambing.
Full particulars in a future advertisement.
Apply to RYAN and HAMMOND, Melbourne; or WILKINSON, HANN, MINCHIN, and CO., Sydney, Hay, and Wagga Wagga.

TALUNDILLY STATION, BARCOO RIVER.
RYAN and HAMMOND have received instructions from Messrs. Govett, Brothers, and Co. to offer by public auction, at Menzies' Hotel, Melbourne, on THURSDAY, the 13th June, at 3 o'clock p.m. (if not previously disposed of privately),
The TALUNDILLY STATION, Barcoo River, in the Mitchell District, Queensland, containing about [illegible] miles of richly-grassed open plains, downs, and forest country, with a great abundance of saltbush; it is splendidly watered by upwards of 30 miles frontage to the Barcoo River and several creeks and permanent lagoons.
With the station will be sold 4500 head of very well-bred CATTLE; 21 pedigree BULLS were added to the herd last year.
The improvements are very substantial and complete, and consist of a comfortable cottage, &c., on the home station, a newly-fenced paddock of 1000 acres, well-arranged stockyards, with crushes, branding bails, &c.; also, stockman's out-station hut, with substantial tailing and branding yards, the whole having every convenience for working 15,000 head of cattle.
The runs are situated in the best portion of the far-famed Barcoo country, the very fattening and heavy stock-bearing properties of which are too well known to require comment, and the Auctioneers would beg to draw the attention of any one requiring a splendid run, not one-third stocked, to this most favourable opportunity for investing.
For further particulars apply to RYAN and HAMMOND, Melbourne; or Messrs. R. D. [illegible]

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FUNERALS.

THE FUNERAL of the late WILLIAM CARSS, Kogarah, will take place THIS AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. JAMES W. EVANS are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his deceased beloved DAUGHTER, Edith Constance; to move from his residence, No. 343, Sussex-street South, THIS AFTERNOON, 30th instant, at quarter-past 2 o'clock, to Balmain Cemetery. THOMAS, Undertaker, 141, York-st.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mr. JAMES WINDOW are respectfully invited to attend his funeral; to move from his residence, Mackenzie-street, off Balmain Road, THIS (Thursday) AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, to Balmain Cemetery. C. KINSELA and SONS, George-street, opposite Christ Church, and Oxford-street, near Crown-st.

THE FRIENDS of PATRICK NUGENT are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved FATHER-IN-LAW, Mr. James Window; to move from his late residence, Mackenzie-street, off Balmain Road, THIS (Thursday) AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, to Balmain Cemetery. C. KINSELA and SONS, Undertakers.

THE FRIENDS of GEORGE WINDOW are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his deceased FATHER, Mr. James Window; to move from his late residence, Mackenzie-street, off Balmain Road, THIS (Thursday) AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, to Balmain Cemetery. C. KINSELA and SONS, Undertakers, George-street.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. HENRY HUGHES, of Petersham, are invited to attend the Funeral of his deceased FATHER-IN-LAW, Mr. James Window; to move from his late residence, Mackenzie-street, off Balmain Road, THIS (Thursday) AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, to Balmain Cemetery. C. KINSELA and SONS, George-st.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mr. THOMAS BROWN are respectfully invited to attend his funeral; to move from his residence, Chelsea-street, Surry Hills, TO-MORROW (Friday) MORNING, at half-past 8 o'clock, to the Necropolis. C. KINSELA and SONS, 118, Oxford-street; and 737, George-street South.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

THE MORT MEMORIAL.
SUBSCRIPTIONS to the above will be received at the BANKS, and at their Country Branches, at the EXCHANGE, and by each member of Committee.
Friends wishing to assist may obtain Subscription Cards on application to
F. H. DANGAR, } Hon.
JOHN R. STREET, } Secretaries.

AUBURN, the new Suburban Township, eleven miles from Sydney.
MILLS and PILE beg to announce that a FREE SPECIAL TRAIN will leave the Sydney station at 2.15 p.m. on FRIDAY, to convey persons wishing to inspect the property prior to the sale, returning at 5 p.m. Tickets at Rooms.
The finest position between Sydney and Parramatta. Six miles of streets, all a chain wide. 1½ mile railway frontage.

IN THE ESTATE OF THOMAS MOON, late of Stanmore, near Sydney, in the colony of New South Wales, Contractor, deceased.
PURSUANT to the "Trust Property Act of 1862," Notice is hereby given that all Creditors and other persons having any debts or claims upon or affecting the estate of the said THOMAS MOON are hereby requested to send in the particulars of their claims to the undersigned, the Proctor for HENRY LIPSCOMB, the Executor of the said Thomas Moon, deceased, on or before the 10th day of June next, at the expiration of which time the said Henry Lipscomb will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Thomas Moon among the persons entitled thereto, having regard to the debts and claims only of which he shall then have had notice; and he will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.
Dated this 8th May, 1878.
CHARLES SMITH JONES, Proctor for the Executor, 128½, Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

BATES, MARY ANNE, Thames-street, Balmain, widow of WILLIAM BATES, of same place, Shipwright.
PURSUANT to the Trust Property Act of 1862, all creditors and other persons having any debt or claim upon the Estate of MARY ANN BATES above named, are hereby required to send full particulars thereof to Messrs. FITZHARDINGE and SON, of 142, Pitt-street, Sydney, Solicitors for HENRY PERDRIAU, of Balmain aforesaid, Esquire, the Trustee of the Will of the said Mary Ann Bates, on or before the first day of July next, at the expiration of which time the said H. Perdriau will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard to the debts and claims only of which he shall then have had notice; and the said Henry Perdriau will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.
Dated this 29th May, A.D. 1878.
FITZHARDINGE and SON, No. 142, Pitt-street, Sydney, Solicitors for Henry Perdriau.

THE CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL.
COMMITTEE.
Mrs. Mary Roberts, Lady Allen, Mrs. Saul Samuel, Mrs. Wilkinson, Mrs. W. B. B. Christie, Mrs. W. M. White, Mrs. Baillie, Mrs. J. Watson, Mrs. Antrobus, Miss Mackie, Miss Wilkinson.

The Children's Hospital being about to be opened in Sydney, the above named ladies have formed themselves into a committee to insure its successful establishment; the object being to give proper medical advice and attendance, with nursing and sick comforts to the many unfortunate sick or maimed children of New South Wales, and as much as possible the comforts of a home. The proposed hospital is an absolute necessity, and not, as some infer, a superfluous charity; nor is it established in opposition or rivalry with any other institution of the colony, but rather opened with the view and in the hope of aiding and helping our hospitals by relieving them of that portion of our sick poor, for whom they have such inadequate accommodation, and who require, in a certain measure, better and different care. The hospital is intended to be eventually, as far as practicable, self-supporting, but in the meanwhile subscriptions will be thankfully received and acknowledged by Rev. Dr. LANG, Sydney, who has kindly volunteered; and Mrs. BROWNE, Secretary pro tem.
181, Macquarie-street North.

PUBLIC NOTICE.
We, the undersigned, hereby notify that the IXL travelling store has no connection with the IXL Store, 247, Pitt-street, Sydney, and having ascertained that the "IXL" is a registered trade mark belonging to Mr. J. TARRANT, the proprietor of the IXL Store, we give up the use of the above name in every shape and form from this date.
Signed. BERGER and CO.
Sydney, May 29, 1878.

PADDLE FUND.—Gentlemen holding SUBSCRIPTION CARDS for the fund on behalf of the family of the late Captain BENJAMIN PADDLE are requested to forward the same, with amounts received, to the undersigned as early as possible, as the Committee are anxious to close the lists.
GEORGE ROSS, Treasurer.
Margaret-street, near A. S. N. Co.'s Wharf,
May 30, 1878.

POULTRY SOCIETY.—Gentlemen favourable to forming a Society, please forward their names to H. BUNTING, Honorary Secretary (pro tem.), Raglan-street, Waterloo.

WOOL.—The undersigned will make liberal advances on wool of the ensuing clip.
A. HINCHCLIFF,
Wool Stores, Circular Quay.

ASSIGNED ESTATE OF E. D. LEYSHON, Wagga Wagga.
A second and final DIVIDEND in the above estate is now payable at the office of Messrs. S. Hoffnung and Co., Pitt-street.
Promissory Notes must be produced.
D. MARKS } Trustees.
A. LEWIS }
Sydney, May 28th, 1878.

WOOL AND OTHER PRODUCE.—Liberal cash advances made by the undersigned on wool and other produce placed in their hands for sale in the colonies for shipment to Messrs. Dalgety, Du Croz, and Co., their London firm. Advances made on stations and stock. Station stores supplied.
DALGETY, BLACKWOOD, and CO.
Offices: Exchange-buildings, Pitt-street (next Messrs. W. Laidley and Co.'s), Sydney.

WHEREAS during Tuesday night, the 21st instant, several dogs worried the whole (27) of my Prize GEESE, 18 of which have since died, this is to notify that, for the future, all DOGS found straying on my premises at Randwick will be destroyed, without respect to owner.
May 29, 1878. JAMES E. PEMELL.

NOTICE.—On and after Monday, the 3rd June, the establishment of the undersigned will be closed at 5 p.m., Saturdays excepted. WILLIAM MADDOCK, City Stationery Warehouse, 383, George-street.

TO COLLIERY AND MINERAL LAND PROPRIETORS, MINING AND RAILWAY SPECULATORS, AND THE MINING COMMUNITY GENERALLY.—Mr. R. W. MOODY, Mining, Civil, and Mechanical Engineer, having retired from the management of the Waratah Coal Company's Collieries (where he has been mining engineer for the last 12 years), is prepared to examine and report on mineral lands, collieries, and engineering works generally, in any part of the colonies, and to negotiate the sale or purchase of collieries, mineral lands, machinery, &c., and will also arbitrate in all matters of dispute concerning the same.
Mr. Moody believes that the 40 years' practical experience which he has had, here and on some of the largest collieries in England, in mining and railway engineering, will enable him to give satisfaction to any one requiring his services.
He has at present for sale or to lease Coal and Shale Properties in the Newcastle, Wollongong, and the southern and western districts, on very advantageous terms.
Present address—Waratah, New South Wales.
April 22, 1878.

CHINESE FAMINE FUND.
At a MEETING of Chinese Merchants, and others, Chinese residents, held on the 27th instant, for the purpose of establishing a Fund for the relief of their distressed fellowcountrymen, it was unanimously resolved that the following gentlemen be appointed a committee for the collection of subscriptions in that behalf from all classes of the community, viz.:—
On Chong and Co., 205, George-street
Sun Kum Tiy and Co., 207, George-street
Chin ah Teak, North Shore
Ah Sue, George-street
Dr. George On Lee
Ah Toy
Ye Sang Loong and Co., George-street
Sun Kum On and Co., George-street
Tin War and Co., George-street,
and that Messrs. On Chong and Co. and Sum Kum Tiy and Co., be appointed Treasurers to the Fund. The following subscriptions have been already received and are thankfully acknowledged, viz.:—

	£	s.	d.
The E. and A. Mail Steam Company	5	5	0
Bright, Brothers, and Co.	3	3	0
W. G. H. Murray	1	1	0
James Tedd	1	1	0
D. M'G.	2	0	0
Charles and Law	0	10	0
James Rogers	1	0	0
Chen Sing	1	0	0
Chock Hoong	1	0	0
Lee Doon	1	0	0
Wing Chong	2	0	0
Foo War	1	0	0
Yow Hop	2	0	0
Chin Yow Gum	2	0	0
Chin Ching Lock	1	0	0
Wong Gee	1	0	0
Foo Fong Doung	1	0	0
Lee Cheong Lin	1	0	0
John Ah Hee	1	1	0
Chong Hing Young	1	0	0
Chin Choy	1	0	0
Sun Lee	1	1	0
George Ah Lin	1	0	0

ON CHONG and CO., } Treasurers.
SUN KUM TIY, }

A SUBSCRIPTION FUND is now open for the benefit of the widowed Mother of PATRICK HOLLAND, who was brutally assaulted in the Pitt-street affray.
The smallest donations thankfully received by R. B. ADRAIN, at M'Carty's, 250, Pitt-street.

REMOVAL.—J. and G. M'MURTRIE and CO., from Clarence-street to 21 and 25, King-street West.

PARTY who left CLOTHES at Mrs. MONDAY'S, 14 months ago, does not call, they will be SOLD.

DEAD CATTLE removed on reasonable terms. A. BIGGS, Bondi, Waverley.

ASSIGNED ESTATE of RICHARD THAME.—A second Dividend of sixpence in the pound is now payable in the above estate.
H. P. PALSER, York-street.

IN THE ASSIGNED ESTATE OF GELLING AND WALKER, Tenterfield.
A DIVIDEND is now payable by the undersigned.
Bills of exchange and promissory notes must be produced.
J. T. DAVENPORT and CO.,
Trade Assignees.

IN THE ASSIGNED ESTATE OF A. and S. MYERS, Young.
A DIVIDEND is now payable by the undersigned.
Bills of exchange and promissory notes must be produced.
J. T. DAVENPORT and CO.,
Trade Assignees.

THE CHUSAN TEA COMPANY'S FAMOUS TEAS can only be obtained at the Retail Warehouse, Park-street.
E. T. GILBERT, Manager.

GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

TRANSMISSION BY DEATH.—REAL PROPERTY ACT OF 1861 (Queensland).—NOTICE is hereby given that application has been made for Registration of transmission by Death of Land, and according to particulars as follow. Any person desiring to oppose must do so by Caveat, on or before day specified below.
Name of deceased proprietor, John Ryan; date of death, 18th March, 1877; name of claimant, Maria Ryan (widow); description and situation of land, 9¾ perches, being subdivision 2 of section 1, portion 306, parish of North Brisbane; estate claimed to be transmitted, fee simple; particulars of will or otherwise, devisee under will dated 2nd March, 1877; date within which caveat may be lodged, 28th June.
HENRY JORDAN,
Registrar-General, Queensland.

Department of Mines, Sydney,
17th May, 1878.
LIST of APPLICATIONS received in the Department of Mines, for permission to mine under roads, &c., &c., under the Mining Act 1874, section 28.
[77-6724; 78-2876.]
W. H. SUTTOR.

Date of application, October 9, 1877; receipt of application, October 9, 1877; name of applicant, R. Adams; locality, Botany Bay; description of land applied for—under all the waters and foreshores between high and low watermark of Botany Bay, also, under the reserve at Cape Solander, and reserve No. 1640 at North Head of Botany Bay; purposes for which land is to be used, to mine for coal, iron, fireclay, kerosene shale, &c.
Date of application, March 11, 1878; receipt of application, March 12, 1878; name of applicant, J. G. North; locality, Southend; description of land applied for—reserve No. 22a, county of Cumberland, parish of Southend, portions 100 and 101; extent, 227 acres; purposes for which land is to be used, to mine for coal, &c.

Department of Lands, Sydney,
23rd May, 1878.
STREET IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF BURWOOD.—His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, having deemed it expedient to open and make the street mentioned in the schedule appended hereto, to be maintained at the expense of the parish through which it passes: Notice is hereby given that, in accordance with the provisions of the Act 4th William IV. No. 11, plan and book of reference, showing the intended line of the street in question, is now deposited at the Office of the Surveyor-General in Sydney, and at the Police Office mentioned.
It is requested that any well-grounded objections that may exist to the formation of the street in question may be transmitted in writing to the Clerk of the Executive Council, within one month from this date.
By his Excellency's command,
JAMES S. FARNELL.

SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.
Roads No.: 78-939, B. 3. 2150. Description of street: From the southern boundary of a road (unnamed) leading from the southern boundary of Police Paddock to Driver's Road to northern boundary of a road (unnamed) running easterly from Redmyre Railway Station. Names of reputed owners or occupiers through whose property the street passes: Sir Daniel Cooper, representatives of the late John Baptist. Police Office at which the plan and book of reference has been lodged: Central Police Office, Sydney.

BUSINESSES FOR SALE.

HOTELS for SALE, in several first-class country districts. M. DE LISSA, the Albion Stores, 379, Kent-street.

A FIRST-CLASS Butcher's BUSINESS for SALE. Inquire GARUDDE, Butcher, South Head Road.

HOTELS—Best situations; also paying BOARDING HOUSES; bargains. C. Bate and Co., 147, Pitt-st.

HOTEL.—Splendid business and position; corner house; best part of George-street; easily managed; trade, £50; lease, 5 years; incoming, £650. TAYLOR and CO., 355, George-street.

HOTEL, George-street, near wharfs; large house; rent, £2 2s; 29 boarders; trade, £35; incoming, £450.
TAYLOR and CO., 355, George-street.

CONFECTIONER'S BUSINESS, West Maitland, old established; a bargain; owner leaving through ill-health; plant worth more than money asked.
TAYLOR and CO., 355, George-street.

HOTEL, Redfern, bargain; must be sold; furniture worth ingoing. Taylor and Co., 355, George-st.

FOR SALE, snug suburban HOTEL, at Burwood; rent, 32s; price, £220. S. LEVIN, 164, King-st.

HOTEL for SALE, well known, near the Haymarket, good bar trade; rent, 30s. S. Levin, 164, King-st.

FOR SALE, good-paying HOTEL, at Camperdown, a gift; incoming nominal. S. LEVIN, 164, King-st.

HOTEL for SALE, old established, good bar business, at Newtown. S. LEVIN, 164, King-street.

£700—HOTEL, George-street; rent, let off; large trade. BUER and NICHOLLS.

£900—HOTEL, city; a little gold mine; low rent, long lease. Buer and Nicholls.

£550—HOTEL, city (central), a bargain. BUER and NICHOLLS, 67, Pitt-street.

FOR SALE, LADIES' SCHOOL, in good locality; large attendance; a bargain. Apply L. X., Post Office.

HOTELS and Boarding-houses, all prices and positions. Money advanced. Glennie and Co., 179, Pitt-st.

FOR SALE, General Store BUSINESS, in one of the northern townships; good business. Stock low. Good opportunity for small capitalist. ALFRED ALLEN and CO., Royal Blue House, Pitt-street.

TOBACCONIST'S Business for SALE, George-street; rent, 25s; price, £130. J. Pringle, 168, Pitt-street.

FOR SALE, situated in Surry Hills, private BOARDING HOUSE; furniture at valuation, no goodwill, easy terms; price about £100. Immediate possession. United Bakery Company, corner King and York streets.

BOARDING-HOUSE, Church-hill, nicely furnished throughout; every requisite; must be sold, proprietor going to England; no reasonable offer refused. DAWBARN and CO., Temple-court Chambers.

£100—GROCERY BUSINESS for SALE; very good connection; rent, 20s; no taxes; immediate occupancy. This amount includes stock, fixtures, and utensils in trade. E. RAMSAY, House Agent, &c.

£30—PARTNER in Rubber Stamp Business; good concern to smart man. 453, Pitt-st. South.

SPLENDID corner HOTEL, doing good trade; incoming moderate. MARKS and CO., 154, Pitt-street.

BUSINESS AGENCY.
FANCY and TOY BUSINESS for SALE
BOARDING ESTABLISHMENT ditto ditto
GROCERY BUSINESS ditto.
E. RAMSAY, George and King streets.

WANTED to sell the Goodwill of a LODGING-HOUSE and premises. Gardner, 221, Sussex-st.

HOTELS, town and country, for SALE; terms. W. DOUGLASS, 79, King-street.

TO WATCHMAKERS.—Applications will be received from persons desirous to purchase the BUSINESS of the late A. RAPHAEL, in the rising town of Hay. The premises, which are newly built, may be purchased or had on lease. For full particulars, accompanied by trade references, apply to the Administrator, S. RAPHAEL, Hay.

FOR SALE, CHARLTON'S HOTEL, Market Wharf. Apply M. W. F. Alzano.

GROCERY BUSINESS for SALE; price, £25; stock at invoice price. Mr. Roberts, Cross Guns Hotel, Pd'tn.

FOR SALE, first-class HOTEL. For particulars apply to G. HILL, stationer, 794, George-street.

FOR SALE, Oxford-street; lease, 6 years, £350. JOSEPH and CO., 110, King-street.

FOR SALE, corner HOTEL, city, well furnished, £400. JOSEPH and CO., 110, King-street.

FOR SALE, TRADESMAN'S ARMS, William-street; must be sold. Call early, on the premises.

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WANTED, two SHOPMEN, £2 a week, with board. P. M'Carroll, butcher, 209, Parramatta-street.

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A RESPECTABLE young Woman required, as General Servant; no washing. Gritton, Normanton, Snail's B.

A GOOD General SERVANT wanted; good wages small family; another kept. 76, Elizabeth-st. North.

A GIRL, as General SERVANT, two in family. 123, William-street East, Rushcutter Bay.

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STEADY and good GROOM wanted; one used to livery stables preferred. Apply 33, Bligh-street.

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WANTED, a MAN, to discharge coal. Apply G. F. Mason, Patent Slip Wharf.

WANTED, a tidy GIRL, or elderly Woman. 553, Riley-street, near Devonshire-street.

WANTED, respectable young Woman, as General SERVANT. 58, Oxford-street.

WANTED, thorough General SERVANT, able to cook and wash. 151, Elizabeth-street.

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WANTED, a General SERVANT. Apply Star and Garter Hotel, King-street, near Pitt-street.

WANTED, a useful young MAN. Henry Rice, butcher, Elizabeth-street, Haymarket.

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WANTED, a WAITRESS. Schroder's Hotel, King-street.

WANTED, for the country, a single Man, as GARDENER. J. Graham and Co., Markets.

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WANTED, good SERVANT, wash, iron, and cook. Rising Sun Hotel, Elizabeth-street South.

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WANTED, a competent HOUSEMAID. Mrs. Samuel Hills, Trebartha, Snail's Bay.

WANTED, an Office BOY.—Apply to Molyneaux and Bonney, 40, Hunter-street, between 11 and 1.

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WANTED, good General SERVANT, four in family. Mrs. Davey, Charlotte-place, Pitt-st., Redfern.

WANTED, MAN or Youth, to milk a cow, look after horse, &c. Phillips and Keighran, 355, Geo.-st.

WANTED, a respectable GIRL, small family. 291, Victoria-street, Darlinghurst.

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WANTED, an experienced PARLOURMAID. Mrs. James Watson, 157, Macquarie-street North.

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WANTED, a GIRL, to assist in the bar. Williamson's Belfast Wine Vaults, Botany Road.

WANTED, a strong LAD, to assist in small goods. Keto, Botany Road.

WANTED, a good General SERVANT, with references. Mrs. Burt, 43, Cleveland-st., Railway-bridge.

WANTED, experienced BARMAID; references required. The Exchange, Gresham-street.

WANTED, useful GIRL. Apply Mrs. Board, corner Crystal and Brighton streets, Petersham.

WANTED, a middle-aged WOMAN, to do housework; no children. No. 40, Windmill-street.

WANTED, GIRL, to mind baby and be useful. 161, Fitzroy-street, S. H.; sleep at home preferred.

WANTED, a steady GIRL, 18, for one person, light housework; wages, 7s. 1, Cobden-ter., D'shire-st.

WANTED, a useful GIRL, about 15. Moorefield House, Darling-street, Balmain.

WANTED, a BOY, at Maclean and Sons, Manufacturing Silversmiths, 21, Hunter-street.

WANTED, HOUSEMAID, Royal Hotel.

WANTED, a MAN, to garden, groom, and generally useful. D. Mitchell and Co., Wynyard-street.

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WANTED, a strong useful GIRL. Apply 561, Riley-street. References.

WANTED, a smart LAD, for a boot shop. R. H. Barry, 609, George-street, Haymarket.

WANTED, strong BOYS, for bedding factory, Murray's, 323, Castlereagh-street, near Bathurst-st.

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WANTED, a strong LAD; one accustomed to butchering. S. Barr, Botany Road, Waterloo.

WANTED, a good General SERVANT; no washing. Queensland Hotel, Erskine-street.

WANTED, a HOUSEMAID. Emu Hotel, George-street.

WANTED, a LAD, used to horses. 101, Bathurst-street.

WANTED, a smart active BOY. 43, Oxford-street.

WANTED, a respectable YOUTH, about 15. Lloyd's French Glove and Boot Depot, 10, Hunter-street.

WANTED, a strong LAD, for a country store, to make himself generally useful. 327, George-street.

WANTED, a BOOTS that can wait at table; Night Porter and Waiter, also elderly man. 98, Market-st.

WANTED, MAN, with ref., to groom, garden, milk, wages £1. Young man, g. useful. 98, Market-st.

WANTED, a BARMAID, for the country. Apply Camb's Metropolitan Hotel, Bridge-street.

WANTED, respectable young MAN to join another in large airy bedroom, mechanic pref. 32, Bridge-st.

WANTED, a General SERVANT. Mrs. F. Withers, 238, Albion-street.

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WANTED, a LABOURER. Apply early, Manila House, Bourke-street, Surry Hills.

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WANTED, respectable young person, as Gen. SERVANT. Richmond Hotel, corner Francis-street.

WANTED, a COOK. Apply to Mrs. Cheeke, Tusculum, Macleay-street.

WANTED, a respectable Girl, as General SERVANT. 245, Macquarie-street.

WANTED, a General SERVANT. Apply Mrs. Fyfe, 225, Kent-street North.

WANTED, General Servants, H. and P. Maids, Manly Beach, Balmain, Cook's River. 311, Castlereagh-st.

WANTED, a little GIRL, to mind a baby. Cotton's, Five Roads Hotel, William-street.

WANTED, strong GIRL, to mind a baby, sleep at home. Mrs. Fox, Derwent-street, Glebe.

WANTED, young PERSON, for refreshment rooms also one for housework. Apply after 10, Haynes, Brighton House, 518, George-street.

WANTED, a good COOK, two in family; one willing to go to Auckland (N. Z.). Apply between 10 and 12, 213½, Macquarie-street.

WANTED, a steady Man, as GARDENER and COACHMAN, &c. Apply to Mr. Williams, opposite Annandale Post-office.

WANTED, a respectable young Person, as NURSE to one child; must be a good needlewoman. Mrs. Wright, Maryville, Cameron Avenue, Balmain.

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WANTED, steady young MAN, accustomed to dairy work. Apply Mr. Reynolds's, Tower Inn, opposite Railway; or Thomas Lloyd, Sydenham Road, Marrickville.

WANTED, for hotel, a good HOUSE and PARLOUR MAID, and to assist in the bar; also, a good Woman COOK. Apply, before 11, Mr. Wallace, stationer, 111, King-street.

WANTED, working HOUSEKEEPER, accustomed to children and understands the management of an invalid (mentally); middle-aged person preferred. Apply 180, Woolloomooloo-street.

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